

Suspect Bomb in Dixon Filling Station Explosion Sunday Morn

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U. S. TROOPS CROSS BORDER AND ROUT VILLA

CAUSE OF EXPLOSION MYSTERY

Authorities Say Oil Did Not Cause Sunday Combustion, WINDOWS ALL BROKEN Manager Good Thrown 10 Feet Across Main Room—Unhurt.

An explosion, believed by many to have been caused by some kind of bomb, badly damaged the Standard Oil company's filling station at the corner of Third street and Galena avenue at 8:30 o'clock Sunday morning, and Lee Good, manager of the station was thrown ten feet across the main room and against the safe, but fortunately escaped injury. Every window in the building, some of which were open at the time, was blown out, the glass being broken into tiny fragments; the air pipes leading from the furnace were wrecked; the register covers in the floor were blown to the ceiling, tearing the plaster off where they hit; and a reinforced partition was torn loose and forced into the oil store room.

No Gasoline In Building. That the explosion could have been caused by the accumulation of fumes from gasoline is declared to have been impossible since there is no gasoline kept in the building, and the pipes running to the big storage tanks do not even pass through the basement of the station. A theory that the combustion might have resulted from combustion of oily rags in the furnace is also said to be illogical, since the firepot of the furnace shows absolutely no effect of the explosion. Disapproval of these theories leads the authorities to believe that some amateur Bolshevik attempted wrecking the building with an infernal machine.

Mr. Good opened the station for business at 7 o'clock Sunday morning, and at once opened the windows in the basement and several windows up stairs. He noticed no fumes when he opened the door early in the morning and there was no indication at any time of accumulation of any gases which might have caused the explosion.

Blown Across the Room. At about 8:30 o'clock he started to the basement to adjust the air pump. As he started to open the heavy oak door leading into the cellar store room it was blown forward against him and he was thrown against the safe across the room, the door being piled on him. The oak door was dented to a depth of half an inch where it struck the corner of the safe.

The concussion was felt by all in the neighborhood and instantly a crowd rushed to the building, to meet Mr. Good, dazed, but unhurt, coming out the door. A call was sent to the fire department but no big fire resulted from the explosion, the only blaze being in the basement where an oil mop, used for cleaning the oak floors, was just commencing to blaze.

Worst Effect In Basement. The worst effects of the explosion were in the basement. All electric wires, including those to the automatic air pump, were torn loose from their fastenings and twisted up; every pipe to the hot air furnace was blown down and the partitions of the stairway were torn loose and broken.

Investigation showed that the force of the explosion seemed to have been greatest in the cold air pipe to the furnace. Supt. Gray and Manager H. C. Griffin of the Joliet district of the Standard Oil company were notified yesterday afternoon of the explosion and arrived today from Joliet to conduct an official investigation.

Chief Thomas Investigated. Fire Chief Thomas Coffey after investigating the scene yesterday made a second investigation this morning. Many had advanced the theory that oil soaked rags and waste in the furnace had caused the explosion, but this was discredited by the chief's statement. The furnace doors were all closed, there was no fire in the furnace when the department arrived and no burning rags in or near it.

The chief disclosed one fact, that of finding traces of a black, greasy deposit on the floor in the basement, similar to the deposit in a gun barrel after the use of black powder. The furnace itself was unharmed and according to the chief, an explosion in the furnace would have at least blown the doors open and fire would have been burning in the fire pot. There was no trace of fire in the furnace and the force of the explosion was not great.

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All England Honors Daring Flyers

THIRTY CHICAGO ARTISTS SPENT WEEK-END HERE

Members of Friends of Nature Assn. Were Visitors.

"O take your family west, If health you would enjoy, And cross over Dixon's Ferry In the State of Illinois." (From a song printed in the New York Clipper at the time of Father John Dixon's death.)

Thirty members of "The Friends of Our Native Landscape, an organization of Chicago artists, heeded the advice in the above verse and "came west" Saturday afternoon to spend the week end in Dixon and Grand Detour. They arrived in this city at 1:11 p. m., were met by a number of Dixon people with automobiles, and were taken to the E. N. Howell home in North Dixon where they spent a couple of hours before boarding the boat for Grand Detour where they remained until yesterday afternoon, when they returned to Chicago.

Accompanying the party were Col. E. E. Wood, Secretary of the Membership Committee of the Chicago Historical society, and Chief Longfellow, a full blooded Apache Indian educated in several colleges and possessor of a degree of Bachelor of Arts. Chief Longfellow entertained the members at a camp fire at Grand Detour Saturday evening in a most pleasing way.

"Knee Deep in History." Col. Wood is a veteran of three wars—having served actively in the Civil and Spanish-American conflicts and as (Continued on Page 2.)

TO CALL MEETING OF INVESTIGATING BODY

A special meeting of the county home committee of the board of supervisors will probably be called within the next week or ten days at which time the body will start investigation of the charges that have been made against Supt. Clyde Wicher of the County Home. The date for the holding the meeting and the time for the committee to report will be announced by Chairman W. J. Edwards, of Amboy. The other members of the committee are: J. M. McCleary, James Buckley, Thomas Long and William Brucker. The personnel of the committee was selected at the April organization meeting several weeks previous to the date the charges were made. Supervisor Long, of Harmon township, was in the city this morning and in discussing the charges that have been preferred, stated that he for one would not be satisfied until a complete and thorough examination of all of the charges has been made.

Situation in Costa Rica Worse; Marines Are Ready to Land

By Associated Press Leased Wire Washington, June 16.—The revolution against the Tinoco government in Costa Rica has entered a new phase, according to dispatches today to the state department. Outbreaks have occurred in San Jose, the capital, and the general situation was described as serious.

American forces on the gunboat Castine, now at Port Limon, are held in readiness and can be landed at a moment's notice, it was said. The commander of the ship, however, has been instructed not to act without specific instructions from Washington.

ROAD TO GRANDY IS BEING DRESSED

The road into Grand Detour in Ogle county is to be repaired. This stretch of road entering the village of Grand Detour has been in very bad shape for some time past but the initial steps have started. The road has been graded and is now to be covered with crushed stone and put up in first-class condition.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. White and son Wilfred and Mr. and Mrs. Peter Stader and son Oscar motored to Sublette yesterday and visited at the home of August Beister.

THE WEATHER

MONDAY, JUNE 16 By Associated Press Leased Wire Illinois: Unsettled but mostly fair weather tonight and Tuesday; continued warm.

LOCAL TEMPERATURE Maximum and minimum temperatures and rainfall, if any, registered by the government thermometer and recording instrument in this city for the 24 hours ending at 7 o'clock p. m. each day: Thursday 88 65 Friday 87 67

REVISED TREATY HANDED TO FOES AT 7 P.M. TODAY

Rantzau Will Take It to German Cabinet for Decision.

BULLETIN

By Associated Press Leased Wire Versailles, June 16.—The allied reply to the German counter proposals was delivered by Paul Dutasta, general secretary of the peace conference, to Count Von Brockdorff-Rantzau, head of the German peace delegation, at 6:49 o'clock this evening.

By Associated Press Leased Wire Versailles, June 16.—The delivery of the allied reply to the German counter proposals which was set for 4 o'clock this afternoon, was postponed at that hour until 6 o'clock this evening.

MAY ASK MORE TIME

By Associated Press Leased Wire Paris, June 16.—It is anticipated generally that the Germans will ask for an extension of time in which to reply to the final peace conditions. The request, it is believed, will be based on the fact that the Germans were given only one revised copy of the treaty.

GIVE NAMES OF GUILTY

By Associated Press Leased Wire Paris, June 16.—The allies have promised Germany to deliver within one month a list of persons whom they intend to try for the responsibility for the war and violation of the laws of war.

DELIVER TERMS TODAY

By Associated Press Leased Wire Paris, June 16.—The reply of the allies to the German counter proposals will be delivered to Count Von Brockdorff-Rantzau, head of the enemy peace delegation, at Versailles at four o'clock this afternoon. Paul Dutasta, secretary of the peace conference, will take the revised treaty personally to Versailles to hand it to the Germans. A special train is held in readiness at Versailles and it is presumed that the Germans will depart for Weimar immediately upon the receipt of the allied reply.

Editors and printers worked throughout the night and this forenoon in a feverish effort to complete the reply. At 5 o'clock this morning, corrections were still being made, but it was stated that the delivery of the document at about 4 o'clock was assured.

WILL GERMANY SIGN?

By Associated Press Leased Wire Berlin, Saturday, June 14.—(Delayed.) A canvass of official quarters qualified to speak for absent government officials. (Continued on Page 6.)

LITIGATION IN "JERRY'S" CASE CAME TO AN END

For Young Italian's Broken Back Proved Fatal.

Gronmearia Occenare, known as "Jerry," the little Italian who suffered a broken back while engaged by John Egan, Jr., on a sewer contract in Ashton nearly three years ago, will give the Lee county officials no more trouble in deciding upon the amount he should contribute toward his care at the County Infirmary; nor will he henceforth refuse to make any settlement with Mr. Egan other than a lump sum of everything he was entitled to. "Jerry" died at the County Infirmary at 3:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon, and his death brought an end to the difficulties which have been constantly present since he was injured. It will be remembered by readers of The Telegraph, that after Jerry's back was broken in that accident at Ashton, he was taken to the Lincoln hospital at Rockford. (Continued on Page Five.)

OFFER CASH PRIZE TO SHORTHORN BULL

The American Shorthorn Breeders Association will offer a special premium of \$25 in cash to the champion Shorthorn bull owned in Lee county and shown at the Lee County Fair at Amboy August 26 to 29.

R. & S. M. ELECTION The annual meeting and election of officers of Dixon Council No. 7, Royal & Select Masters will be held this evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Alcock Makes New Record in Flight Across Atlantic

Flying about 1,900 miles in sixteen hours and twelve minutes means a speed of about two miles a minute. From New York to Chicago, a distance of 974 miles, the regulation time made by fast trains was eighteen hours, a speed of a mile in one and one-tenth minutes.

The fastest steamship time was established by the Mauretania, New York to Liverpool, 3,540 miles, in four days, thirteen hours and forty-one minutes. Columbus left Palos, Spain, August 4, 1492, and landed in San Salvador on October 12, 1492. It took him two months and eight days.

The fastest time made by automobile was a mile in 24.02 seconds, made by Ralph DePalma at Daytona Beach, February 12, 1919.

Within five years you may leave New York at 9 p. m. and have breakfast in Paris.

TELEGRAPHERS GAIN POINT AS BURLESON FAVORS BARGAINING

Point Granted to Phone Workers Will Assist Striking Key Men.

By Associated Press Leased Wire Chicago, Ill., June 16.—Union leaders directing the nation-wide strike of commercial telegraphers were elated over reports from Atlantic City, N. J., that the right of collective bargaining, granted Saturday to electrical workers, had been extended to all other employees under the postoffice department, including telegraph operators.

While declining to discuss the possible effect of this action on the telegraphers' strike, officers of the Commercial Telegraphers' union said the one big issue over which the strike was called last week was the right of collective bargaining.

"If Postmaster General Burleson's order is extended to the striking telegraphers will the strike be called off immediately?" S. J. Koenekamp, international president, was asked.

Will Ask Reinstatement. "Yes, but first assurance of reinstatement of the strikers would be arranged."

"The outlook today is brighter than at any time since the strike was called," said Koenekamp. "The strike is spreading; the railroad telegraphers have absolutely refused to handle commercial business, in line with the instructions from the Order of Railway Telegraphers; the number of commercial telegraphers out is rapidly increasing, and commercial business is being delayed at all points where railroad wires are used for commercial telegrams. The brokers' operators are taking a referendum on a sympathetic strike, the result of which will be made known shortly."

LOS ANGELES IN STRIKE

By Associated Press Leased Wire Los Angeles, Calif., June 16.—Line-men and switchboard men, members of the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers, left their work in the plants of the Southern California Telephone company here today at 8 o'clock, according to their officers. Telephone company officials declined to discuss the situation until they had completed a check of the remaining force.

Reports conflicted as to whether the operators, many of whom joined a new union last week, had also walked out. (Continued on Page 4.)

SHAKEN-UP BROWNS PLAYED GOOD GAME

Manager Hal Drake's reorganized Browns defeated the Polo town team at Brown Field yesterday afternoon by a score of 15 to 7. Allen went the route for the Browns and pitched good ball. Phalen worked behind the bat and made a very good showing except for his throwing to the bases which is uncertain at times.

The shakeup following the game of last Thursday with the Dixon Stars, will doubtless mean one of the best teams that has been gathered together in Dixon for many years. Whitebread at first, Leo Fane on second, Happy Ryan at short and with Buck Lightner working on third, gave the Browns an infield yesterday almost impossible to break through. The outfield has been strengthened and the team should receive the hearty support of every lover of baseball.

Next Sunday afternoon, one of the fastest teams in northern Illinois, the Rockford Maroons, have been scheduled and a good attendance is expected.

ALCOCK AND HIS MARINER FINISH OVERSEA FLIGHT

Vickers-Vimy Machine Crosses Atlantic in 16 Hours.

By Associated Press Leased Wire

London, June 16.—London celebrated today the achievement of the two British airmen who yesterday completed the first non-stop trans-Atlantic flight, meanwhile preparing for a formal reception to the air victors, Captain John Alcock and Lieutenant Arthur W. Brown.

Formal examination of the Vickers-Vimy bombing type airplane in which the two men flew 1650 nautical miles in 16 hours and 12 minutes from St. Johns N. F., to Clifden, near Galway, Ireland, has been completed by aero club officials, who found the seals intact on the market parts of the airplane, thus officially establishing the authenticity of the flight.

Meanwhile the aviators, tired but happy, are on their way to London and may reach here tomorrow. Both are well, but Lieutenant Brown, the navigator of the plane, suffered bruises on the nose and face when the machine landed in a bog. The airplane was badly damaged and may have to be dismantled.

Features of the trip were the carrying of the first aerial mail across the Atlantic and the transportation of two mascots, a dog and a cat.

MACHINE IDENTIFIED

By Associated Press Leased Wire London, Sunday, June 15.—(Delayed.)—Major Mayo of the aero club, has inspected the Vickers-Vimy machine in which Captain Alcock and Lieutenant Brown crossed the Atlantic and has found the seals on the marked parts of the airplane intact, according to a wireless dispatch received here from Clifden, Ireland. In landing, the pylons of the center section, as well as the main spar of the lower plane were broken, but the construction of the fuselage saved the machine from further damage. The two engines ran smoothly throughout the flight and when the airplane landed there were still 290 gallons of petrol left in the tank, sufficient for a further flight of ten hours.

People Go Wild

The arrival of the machine, the dispatch states, caused tremendous excitement among the soldiers, wireless operators and others at the Clifden wireless station. Dressed mainly in pajamas and coats the men rushed to the spot where the machine landed, which was about a mile from the station and got wet to the skin in the swamp bog.

16 HOURS ON TRIP

By Associated Press Leased Wire London, June 16.—Capt. John Alcock and Lieut. Arthur W. Brown, in their Vickers-Vimy biplane landed at Clifden, Ireland, Sunday morning, completing the first non-stop airplane flight across the Atlantic.

Their trip from St. Johns, N. F., 1960 land miles or 1652 sea miles, was made in sixteen hours twelve minutes, and wins the Daily Mail \$50,000 prize.

The landing was made at 9:40 o'clock British summer time (3:25 a. m. Sunday Chicago time). In taking the ground the machine struck heavily and the fuselage plowed into the sand. Neither of the occupants was injured.

Flight Through Fog Much of the flight was made through a fog, with an occasional drizzle. This hampered the air men considerably during their journey.

Capt. Alcock explained the silence of his radio instrument during the trip by saying that the wireless propeller blew off soon after the airplane left Newfoundland.

"We were much jammed by strong wireless signals not intended for us," he added.

When word was received here of the accident to the machine in landing accident. (Continued on Page 5.)

ST. MARY'S SCHOOL WILL GIVE LAST ENTERTAINMENT

Tomorrow evening at the opera house the pupils of St. Mary's parochial school will give an entertainment marking the close of school and the graduation of the eighth grade pupils. A very enjoyable evening will be provided and a large audience is anticipated.

DONATED CONVEYANCES

The motor buses which carried soldiers and sailors free to the landing field for the Society Brand airplanes on Thursday were donated by Earl Watts, and the many fighting men who rode in the cars were truly grateful to the Dixon taxi-line proprietor.

KNIGHTS TEMPLAR ELECTION

The annual election of Dixon Commandery No. 21, Knights Templar, at which the election of officers will be the feature, will be held at the Asylum tomorrow evening at 7:30 o'clock. Other important business will also be transacted.

Francisco Villa, Leader of Bandits



Photo by American Press Association.

His forces, after shooting into El Paso were chased and defeated by American troops south of Juarez. Two hundred of the bandits were killed or wounded in the initial fight. The American casualties were only three.

WILSON REFUSES TO GIVE SENATE COPY OF TREATY

By Associated Press Leased Wire Washington, June 16.—President Wilson, responding to the senate resolution asking for the complete text of the peace treaty, advised the senate through the state department today that he did not consider it in the public interest to transmit the treaty text at this time because it was incomplete and many delicate points were under negotiation.

PRESIDENT WILL TOUR NATION TO TALK ON LEAGUE

Tumulty Arranges for Itinerary Wilson Will Follow.

By Associated Press Leased Wire Washington, D. C., June 16.—President Wilson on his return home will tour the country speaking in support of the league of nations. Secretary Tumulty has completed a tentative itinerary for the trip.

Names of the cities to be visited by the president in his "swing around the circle," were not made public. Many cities have invited him to speak on July 4th, it was said at the white house today, and a particularly pressing invitation came from St. Louis.

Replying to an invitation from Senator Swanson that he attend a celebration at Richmond on July 30th, President Wilson cabled his thanks and said he did not know how this would coincide with the itinerary arranged by Secretary Tumulty, but that his visit there should not interfere with the country's understanding of the peace treaty and the league covenant.

Whitehouse officials have no definite information as to the date of the president's return from Paris, but they expect him to start for Washington soon after his visit to Belgium this week.

Medics Favor Beer of 2 3/4 Percent for Benefit of Health

By Associated Press Leased Wire

New York, June 16.—The Allied Medical Association of America comprising all the various schools of medicine in the country, today adopted a resolution at its convention here, declaring that properly brewed lager beer was absolutely essential in the treatment of certain cases, and favoring the manufacture of beer containing not to exceed 2 3/4 percent alcohol. Light wine, if pure, was endorsed as beneficial in certain medical cases.

The resolution declared that "2 3/4 percent beer was not only beneficial to humanity at large when drunk in moderation, but also admirably adaptable as a substitute for stronger alcoholic drinks and as a variant from many kinds of so-called soft drinks."

BENJAMIN PROPERTY SOLD

The F. X. Newcomer Co. has recently purchased the 160 acre farm in South Dixon Township known as the "E. C. Benjamin Farm." Although the consideration was not made public, it is known that the farm brought a good price, it being near town and very productive. The purchasers expect to make many improvements on the farm at once.

3600 AMERICANS INFLICT LOSS OF 200 ON MEXICANS

Firing in El Paso By Bandits Lead to U. S. Invasion.

By Associated Press Leased Wire

El Paso, June 16.—At 11 o'clock the entire second cavalry brigade, composed of the Seventh and Fifth cavalry regiments could be plainly seen about eight miles south and west of Juarez in hot pursuit of the Villa forces which were engaged at 10 o'clock this morning in the vicinity of San Lorenzo. It was stated at military headquarters.

At 11:20 the American cavalry appeared to be gaining rapidly on the Villa band, which was making an effort to reach the mountains to the southwest of Juarez.

TROOPS WITHDRAWING

By Associated Press Leased Wire Juarez, Mex., June 16.—United States infantry troops started withdrawing from Juarez to El Paso at 10:30 a. m. today in obedience to orders by Maj. Gen. Da Rosey C. Cabell, commander of the southern department, who arrived from San Antonio early today and crossed the international bridge for a conference with General Francisco Gonzales, supreme commander of the Juarez troops.

ORDERS UP MORE TROOPS

By Associated Press Leased Wire El Paso, Tex., June 16.—Upon his return to military headquarters here this morning, Major General Cabell announced that he had ordered one battalion of four mountain cannon to El Paso from Camp Stanley, Texas, for the use of the American artillery commander at Fort Bliss should these mountain guns be needed against the Villa forces. He also confirmed the ordering of six companies of the 19th infantry from Douglas, Ariz., to El Paso. They are scheduled to arrive today.

General Cabell also announced officially that United States cavalry were engaged with Villa rebels southeast of Juarez this morning.

CAN BE NO MISUNDERSTANDING

By Associated Press Leased Wire Washington, D. C., June 16.—There can be no misunderstanding between the governments of the United States and Mexico regarding the movement of troops across the border at El Paso, Secretary Baker said today. The sole purpose, he said, was protection of the American side of the border and there is a distinct understanding between the governments for such action.

CAVALRY FOLLOWS VILLISTAS

By Associated Press Leased Wire Juarez, Mex., June 16.—Villa troops, driven from Juarez early today by the United States infantrymen sent across the border just before midnight to stop firing into El Paso by Mexican rebels, were reported this morning in flight to the southeast of Juarez, headed toward Guadalupe, opposite Fabens, Texas, 32 miles from here. United States cavalry were reported to be in close pursuit.

Information as to the location of rebel troops was brought here by a Carranza captain who had just been in contact with the Villa forces. Officers of the 24th infantry (colored), who were in contact with the rebels early today, confirmed this.

Maj. Gen. Francisco Gonzales returned to Juarez from the southwest early today. (Continued on Page Five.)

FOX RIVER CO. CHARGED WITH LIQUOR SALES

Information Filed in Lee County Court By Prosecutor.

Eighteen counts were filed in the county court of Lee county this afternoon by State's Attorney Harry Edwards against the Fox River Express company, a corporation of Aurora, Ill., charging the illegal sale of liquor in anti-saloon territory. The prosecuting attorney at the same time requested County Judge John B. Crabtree that the case be docketed and brought to trial the early part of next week.

This action on the part of the state's attorney's office is a follow up of several bootlegging cases that have been investigated recently, a number of prosecutions coming from the foreign settlement in the vicinity of the Sandusky cement plant. The action against the Aurora corporation came somewhat as a surprise to many who knew of the other investigations as it was not generally known that the Fox River Express company was accused.

The defendant company has operated a branch office in Dixon for several years on West First street, distributing the product of the Aurora Brewing company.

BEAUTIFUL TRIBUTE PAID TO OLD GLORY AT B. P. O. E. SERVICE

Rev. E. C. Lumsden Gives Stirring Discourse of Our Ideals.

Impressive and beautiful were the flag day exercises held by Dixon lodge of Elks Saturday evening in the city park. The attendance was not as large as in former years, but this is accounted for by the fact that the occasion fell on Saturday. The regular ritualistic service of the Elks was given on this occasion. Rev. A. B. Whitcomb delivered the Elks tribute to the flag and read the history of the emblem of freedom. The Dixon Municipal band played.

Rev. E. C. Lumsden, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church, delivered the address, his subject being: "Old Glory First." He said in part: "This is Flag Day. On this day we honor Old Glory, who is 142 years old today and is loved by 110,000,000 of Americans."

Referring to attempts in this country at revolution and anarchy, Rev. Lumsden said: "Don't let anybody even try to put any flag above it or in its place."

Great Change in Year
"Since we last met here our soldiers following that banner have won safety for the world and immortal glory for our home land. And let us remember that following that flag 75,000 brave American boys gave up their lives. In the world war our army marched on European fields of conflict for the first time."

"Old Glory, are you ashamed of these boys?"

"And I can hear our flag speak and its words are: Courage, fortitude, initiative, patience, manhood and pronounced loyalty."

Emblem is Beautiful
"Many things have come to light on this continent, but there is nothing so beautiful, so full of significance as this national emblem. The worth of our flag is not in material things. There must be as there has been emphasis on spiritual qualities. They make for permanence and contentment. And I must say to you that men who had vision made for us that glorious achievement at Chateau Thierry. The Marne, the Oise, St. Mihiel and Argonne. Such men give us a sense of safety. We cannot be happy and feel that our best interests are in jeopardy."

Lead Boys to Victory
"So this evening we delight in our emblem, our ideals and our men. One year ago we were in the midst of a terrible war. The enemy was gaining ten miles a day some day. It was ideal against ideal, flag against flag. Something happened at Chateau Thierry on July 4. Then the flag started for Berlin. The Germans could not stop it. It was going some place. It has a way of going places. Like the Englishman said of our soldiers: 'Those blokes 'as somewhere to go and they are going there.'"

"To me it is wonderful that under our flag so much could be accomplished in so short a time. The war has been won, the world loves our flag and we ought to respect it. Our hats should be off to our emblem."

Chivalry of Peace
"Last year I called for a chivalry of war. But now I must call for a chivalry of peace. We must be worthy of what has been done for us. We can do so only when we duly conserve every interest that is American. I have several recommendations for you tonight."

Down With Bolshevism
"1. Every citizen should be a red-blooded American."

"We want no sense of class. Our flag protects every man who tries to live an upright life. We have some red flag exponents. They appeal to sensualism, materialism and open rebellion. Think of what they want."

Women Nationalized
"2. Home repudiated."

"3. All middle and upper classes put to death."

"Think of men in New York saying: 'Turn out this abominable government and put in a soviet republic government and then have our ideal.'"

"Then they say every lawyer, doctor, teacher, banker, preacher and capitalist must be shot."

Teach American Ideals
"Our sword is clean. We must use our great power. Millions in America know no more of our institutions than the Hottentots do. We had better stop all wheels of commerce for a week and go to school to learn what America stands for."

"Our is an American flag and all here must be American or get out. A good American must seek self-mastery, self-reliance, reliability, self-improvement, co-operation, vision and absolute loyalty. If I were to ask if I am sure our flag would say to us this evening: 'Shut your gates for a while until you get every last body at home loving and understanding me.'"

America Best Place
"America is the best place in the world. People here have the best homes, the most money, best wages, finest morals and sanest religion of any country."

"Our flag is the hope of the world. The destinies of the races are in our dear land. No other flag stands for so much. No nation will ever make sport of us again. Why do we take off our hats to our flag, that is some of us. Because it does not stand for conquest, greed, captives enslaved, lust of power, kingship. But among us there is a desire for best things. Our flag is the expression of mighty manhood. It is sincere heart, brain and prayers expressing itself in statesmanship."

Produce Constructive Men
"Let us thank God for our men. What a galaxy of humble constructive giants America has produced. Not long ago I was in Philadelphia in the room where Betsy Ross made our first flag and I could not help but think of Jefferson, Webster, Clay, Lincoln, McKinley and Theodore Roosevelt. These men set some good ideals. Our men in France fought for them. They realized these ideals would save the world. They wanted government by the people, for the people and of the people. We believe in freedom of the press, to go where we please, of weaker folk, of speech (not to swindle or promote sedition), to develop

SOME OF HIS FORMER PATRONS MUST HAVE RECOMMENDED HIM



in righteousness and truth, to make treaties to life.

Flag Hope of World
"So we must fight Bolshevism. What we want for ourselves we want for the whole world. Our flag is not one wait selfish. The world today is in agony. There are bitter hates, deep seated prejudices, and awful strifes. Bad thinking makes them. Bolshevism is under-erotic, anti-religious, makes class hatred, anti-humanitarian, impracticable. America will be truly democratic, humane religious and genuinely practical. She will save the world. China, India,

Africa and even the ends of the earth will love us because of our saving and wholesome life.

Is Mighty Challenge
"3. Our flag is our mighty challenge. America is home and it is synonymous with comfort, hope, freedom, uplift, education, pure religion and progress. We do not forget the ideals of the fathers. Our flag challenges us to unity. Unity of the sons of Lee and the sons of Grant. In union there is strength. Our flag challenges to fidelity. We despise such a name as Benedict Arnold. Aaron Burr. The blue of our flag chal-

lenges us to the absolute in faithfulness. Washington gave his time, talent, money and influence. He was faithfulness personified. There is danger now that too many Americans are not doing their duty as Americans. All is not well with America, but we must be true.

Challenge to Sacrifice
"Our flag challenges us to sacrifice. The red is the red of the blood they gave. No one gives anything until he gives everything. See Flanders Field where poppies grow. Today the United

States needs unselfishness in leadership and service. We are here not to make money. We are here to build a mighty national life, pure, honest and Godlike. All our blessings are blood bought. When your country wants you for service do you respond? We have no laurels beautiful enough for our servants like sacrificial nation builders.

Challenges Progress
Our flag challenges us to progress. America 142 years ago was an infant. Only 3,000,000 people. What a change has come. In those days we had no cables, telegraph, lucifer matches, no street cars, flying ships, automobiles. But there were men. We have wealth, culture and advance. We were the first to fly over the ocean. But we must outstrip the past. We must have ideals fairer than the sun.

Challenges Clean Thinking
Our flag challenges us to clean thinking. Not twisted distorted thought. We know the truth and it is making us free. We could not think in terms of drowned babies and women. Our thought is constructive. We do not care anything for ourselves we would not want to share with all the world. We can incorporate in thought and put into practice kindness, sympathy, brotherhood and moral uplift.

"With this flag and meeting its challenge, America will live. It will live because there is here a people who fear God, love their fellowmen, sacrifice to save the world and love and respect their flag."

THIRTY CHICAGO ARTISTS SPENT WEEK-END HERE

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a recruiting officer in the recent war. He read the following brief history of Dixon to the members of the association:

Ogee's Ferry on Rock River was the origin of the town of Dixon.

The ferry had the usual vicissitudes of frontier enterprises, the ice on the Springfield freshets often putting it out of commission by carrying away the awkward scow or boat used at the crossing. The Kinzie family, husband and wife and a guide were once forced to hazard a crossing in a skiff to reach Mrs. Dixon's house. The Kinzies, on horseback, from Fort Winnebago were endeavoring to reach Fort Dearborn (Chicago). In crossing streams the horses were led and made to swim. The ferry was named the Ogee Ferry from the first permanent white inhabitant—one Joseph Ogee. By a stretch of imagination, it can be assumed that Mrs. Kinzie could have exclaimed on reaching it for a perilous crossing, "Oh, Gee!"—well named. This "Ogee" or "Ogie" or "Ozier," as he was variously called was a fur trader about the site of Peoria in 1818. He was a French half-breed, and received a good stipulation from the American Fur Trading company—the first Illinois trust, which fought all corners for a monopoly of trade with the Indians. Ogee had ability, influence, and money and was able to construct not only a ferry-boat but in 1823 ran a tavern with a bar at Peoria. The tavern was built of hewn logs and was the best building in the settlement. The Dixon

Ferry, at first a "setting pole" affair (1828) became a rope ferry in 1835. Much was said in local lore of this pioneer Ogee. His wife was a devout Methodist, while he dealt in liquors, and gossip had it that they were divorced. For his period, he seems to have been a progressive man.

"Eagles Nest," June 12, 1881.
He also read the following poem on June 12, 1881:
Happy are we who tread these classic grounds
To-day, when June has donned her robe of flowers;
Happy to stand where Woman's genius found
A strange new beauty in the Summer hours.

The droning bee that flits across my path
The humming bird, scarce larger, on that bough—
The sweet wild rose that nestles in the grass
The viewless South wind, breathing on my brow.

All these are parts of perfect Summer days
That sleep amid these blue crowned wood girl hills,
Where Nature syllables her hymns of praise
Like a sweet harp, the Soul with music thrills
Old Cedars! young perhaps when Cromwell stood
And fought God's fight at Nasby and Dunbar,
How firm ye stand, defying storm and flood.
How old ye look from elemental war.

An Eagle's Eyrie in the days of old—
Your strong Arms sheltered e'en the bid of Jove.
Perhaps "Joves darling" bore in vase of Gold
The sparkling waters to these heights above.

From sweeter Springs than fabled Helicon
Nectarine draughts fit for the Gods alone
Tis guarded still by Nymphs and Naiads, from
Its cool, pure depths in stillly night they come.

When Luna scatters silvery radiance o'er
This vale of temple, and this rugged height
Once watched with Eagle eye, No more
The "Bird of Jove" returns from distant flight.

Some blue eyed Ganymede will watch and long shall wait.
Thy coming from the azure heights above,
And thus the years flow on, and thus will Fate
Long keep him from the object of his love.

ICE CREAM SOCIAL.
The Loyal Daughters of the St. James church will have an ice cream and cake social tomorrow evening at the Red Brick church. 14011

Restaurants have your meal tickets printed by the B. F. Shaw Ptg. Co.

Brief Summary of Last Night's News

By Associated Press Leased Wire
LONDON—Captain John Alcock and Lieutenant Arthur W. Brown landed in Ireland after making the first non-stop trans-Atlantic flight.

PARIS—Germany is to be allowed an army of 200,000 men for three years, according to one of the changes in the peace terms.

PARIS—President Wilson is expected to leave for the United States three or four days after his return from Belgium, Friday.

EL PASO—American troops crossed the border into Mexico Sunday night to stop Villa's rebels from firing further shots into El Paso.

TUSCALOOSA, Ala.—Nineteen persons, most of them children, were drowned when a launch was overturned in the Warrior river. Twelve others are missing.

STERLING PLANNING GREAT CELEBRATION

The program of attractions for Sterling's big "Welcome Home" celebration on July 4th, to which all fighting men of the vicinity are invited, promises a day which will rival Dixon's recent celebration, according to the announcements of the Sterling promoters, and doubtless many Lee county people will spend the day in the Whiteside county metropolis.

The program includes many free attractions, music by four bands, day and night fireworks, addresses by Hon. William B. McKinley and others, horse racing, wrestling, boxing, athletic events, vaudeville attractions on the streets and a big pavement dance in the evening.

PROPERTY TRANSFERS

Fred C. Wieman to Elijah Swone agree wd \$24,000 s½ nw¼ 22 Brooklyn. Heirs of Emma M. Dimick to Fred Overstreet wd \$1 pt lots 8 and 9 blk 6, Dixon.

Heirs of Emma M. Dimick to John E. Erwin and William E. Cahill wd \$1 pt lot 8 blk 6 Dixon.
Xavier F. Gehant to Euphaine Delhotel wd \$873.41 and 1-3 int w½ sw¼ 17, South Dixon.
Don S. Robinson to Otto Julius wd \$10 n½ se¼ 16 Lee Center.

WONDERFUL MUSIC

I wish to call to the attention of the public that I have installed at my place of business, the Brunswick Billiard Parlor, corner Peoria and W. First St., Dixon, Ill., a Violano-Virtuoso. This instrument is designated by the U. S. government as one of the eight greatest inventions of today. It is a combination of violin and piano and is entirely electrically operated and renders the most beautiful and sweetest music the ear ever heard.

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Dixon, Ill. 11424

THE TRUTH about the Silver Situation

(One of a series of Five Articles, appearing in this paper, covering the Silver situation and arriving at the logical solution of the problem.)

Article 4---Merely a Question of Selecting the Right Stocks

The most remarkable characteristic of a spending public before us today is the continuous reckless buying of absolute worthless stocks. The estimated amount of money being thrown away daily is almost beyond belief.

The twentieth century method of selling stock is to rig the market, rig prices, with tips, drummers, etc. The public is hit from various sources, brokers, touts, publicity, etc., and the word is passed along while the particular stock is \$2.00 is headed for \$15.00—of course the plans are well laid, the public is aroused to a buying fever, then they are tricked into bidding against each other, then overloaded upon at the top, and when they are over-gorged shake them out at the bottom.

That is why "insiders" have billions of profits and "outsiders"—the public—billions of losses.

Tom Lawson, of Boston fame, tells very frankly in his book called "Frenzied Finance" that the insiders "divided up" \$44,000,000 the night they organized the Amalgamated Copper Company. When this promotion was put through it was the people that suffered because in the end it is the people that buy the stock and pay the penalty. Since the Amalgamated Copper Company was organized in 1899 it has paid 65% in dividends or a trifle less than 4% yearly. Had this company been honestly organized and the people given their rightful profit it would have paid three times that amount in dividends.

Lawson recently excited the public with "Denbigh" and the noise made was commendable. Advertisements appearing throughout the entire country. The price was set at \$2.00 and quickly moved to \$3.00. Professional stock gamblers hailed it at the opening sold at \$3.00 and chuckled. But the public—as usual—still hold their stock. From last reports Denbigh was being offered at thirty cents per share on the installment plan.

Jerome-PreScott was a typical example of market rigging being rigged to a high of \$9.50 eased off to \$7.50 and those who eagerly purchased this stock saw the market break and within an hour drop to fifty cents with no takers. This manipulation was a rank steal, pure and simple, and those holding the stock have no recourse.

Tuxpam Oil was another recent swindle that was absolutely raw. The price was pushed up to \$1.75 and hundreds of thousands of shares unloaded. The public took this one on in a wild manner, so much so that the capitalization was increased from five to ten millions so that there would be enough stock to go around. Today the stock is entirely off the board.

Scores, yes hundreds of others could be cited, but lack of space does not permit it. In spite of all the publicity given the evil stock peddling methods and also the peddling of worthless stocks. The amount of money being squandered every day is increasing at an alarming rate. Even the government's recent activity has not checked it.

With the coming silver boom new silvers will spring up over night like magic and the "insiders" will, as usual, ply their trade while the excitement is at fever heat. At the same time there will be a few amongst them with merit and those who own the right stocks will profit enormously.

The message we are bringing is mostly for those of you that have had your pockets picked so often—that have been swindled in the rankest manner. We will point you to a stock in which you can not pick one flaw. All the cards will be on the table—nothing camouflaged. It will be priced at an extremely low figure—much below its intrinsic value—enabling you to get in at the beginning.

We have analyzed the silver situation and cold hard facts reveal that it is merely a question of taking time by the forelock—a question of choosing silver stocks of merit, to participate in actual fortune making markets.

One word more, if the new silver we will announce in this paper tomorrow, were offered by New York or Boston brokers, you would be asked to pay as much as \$2.00 per share for it at the outset. Instead, we will offer it to you at a conservative figure, practically without a parallel, enabling you to enjoy every speculative advantage.

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Society

COMING EVENTS

Monday
Golden Rule Circle Meeting—Mrs. B. S. Schildberg.
G. A. R. Circle—G. A. R. Hall.
Thursday
Lafa-Lot club—Mrs. Spencer Henderson.
Harmon Social Circle—Mrs. Lynn Parker.
Sunshine Class Picnic—Mrs. John Praetz.

FISCHER FAMILY REUNION—

Thirty-four members of the family of Edward E. Fischer, his children, grandchildren, and other near kin, gathered at his home yesterday in a family reunion and dinner. Among the guests from out-of-town were the Henry Fischer family, of Nevada, Iowa, and Mrs. Fiske, of Des Moines, Iowa, and Mrs. Wilkinson, of Minnesota. Henry Fischer is a son, Mrs. Fiske a granddaughter, and Mrs. Wilkinson a niece of Edward Fischer. The other guests were from Dixon and vicinity. Mr. Fischer expresses his appreciation of the affair, as follows:

"Herewith I extend my most hearty thanks to all the members of my family for the respect and treatment received at your arranged family reunion Sunday last.

"May our heavenly father reward you with long life, happiness, and prosperity, and lead you wherever you may dwell."
"Edward E. Fischer."

THURSDAY READING CIRCLE—

Mrs. Bishop entertained the members of the Thursday Reading Circle Wednesday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Edgar Crawford, of Nachusa. A number of guests were present besides the members, including Mrs. Amanda Clark, of Pennsylvania Corners, Mrs. Ayres, Miss Myrtle Lee and Miss Grace Crawford, of Dixon. The program was in charge of Mrs. Mumma, who gave a very interesting paper on "The Great American Navy." Miss Myrtle Rice gave a number of delightful musical selections. Arrangements were made for the circle picnic, to be held on June 19th, with Mrs. Wilson, at the Dodd cottage in Grand Detour. The picnic will close the meetings of the club for the summer.

KITCHEN SHOWER—

The Golden Rule Class of St. Paul's Lutheran Sunday school were entertained Friday evening at the home of Mrs. Frank Hoyle, 1219 First street, in honor of Miss Ethel Bollman, who becomes the bride of Louis Ziegler on June 25th. A kitchen shower was given for Miss Bollman. Dorothy, the two year old daughter of Mrs. Hoyle, brought in the gifts on her little wagon during the evening. The class also united in giving Miss Bollman a dozen shirbert glasses. Pink roses and peonies were attractively disposed about the rooms open to the guests and refreshments were served from a table, daintily in its pink and white appointments. Pink and white ribbons were draped from the chandelier to the corners of the table and the lights were also shaded in pink. Victrola music and games were enjoyed before the luncheon. A mock wedding was also a feature of the evening.

D. A. R. SUPPER—

Members of the local chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution enjoyed their annual "Flag Day" picnic at home of Mrs. Morrison H. Vail, in North Dixon. Tables were set on the beautiful lawn where supper was served at 30. The occasion was a very enjoyable one. Mrs. Merton Ranson and her children were guests outside of the club membership.

SUNSHINE CLASS PICNIC—

The Sunshine Class of St. Paul's Sunday school will have a picnic Thursday at the home of Mrs. John Praetz in the country. Members are to take the 3:30 Colony car which will be met at the end of the line. Each is to bring its own dishes, sandwiches, and one other article for the picnic supper.

COMPANY F DANCE—

Company F, 6th Regiment, R. I. M., will give a dancing party on Friday evening in the new armory hall. All returned soldiers and sailors are particularly invited to attend as the guests of Company F.

GUESTS FROM ORANGEVILLE—

Mr. and Mrs. David M. Swartz, of Orangeville, Ill., are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Berger, of N. Dixon. Mr. Swartz is a brother of Mrs. Berger.

RETURN FROM KANSAS—

Mrs. B. I. Hitchcock and daughter, Miss Jean returned today from a week's visit at Leavenworth, Kan.

TO DETROIT—

Mrs. W. E. Weibezahn and daughter, Mrs. Calvin Rice, of Montclair, N. J., who has been visiting her mother, have

gone to Detroit to attend the annual convention of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers.

FROM CHICAGO—

Frederick J. Cook, of the 122nd Field Artillery, who returned at the same time that the Dixon boys of the 123rd F. A. did, and his nephew, William Cookson, were here from Chicago Thursday to witness Dixon's celebration. They were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Cook, Mr. Cook's grand parents, and his aunt, Mrs. Hanlon.

HARMON SOCIAL CIRCLE—

The Harmon Social Circle will hold an all day meeting at the home of Mrs. Lynn Parker on Thursday. A scramble luncheon will be served at noon. Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

AID GIVES SOCIAL—

The Ladies' Aid society of the Grace Evangelical church is sponsoring an ice cream social to be given at the home of Mrs. Edward Graves, 510 N. Dixon avenue, tomorrow evening. Everyone is invited.

SOCIAL AT ST. JAMES—

An ice cream and cake social will be given at the Red Brick schoolhouse tomorrow evening by the members of the Loyal Daughters class of the St. James' church.

TO GREAT LAKES—

Misses Helen Martinson, and Eva Peterson went to Chicago Sunday and visited the latter's brother, at the Naval Training Station at Great Lakes. They returned to Dixon last evening.

GUESTS FROM ASHTON—

Mrs. Conrad P. Krug and Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Krug and son, Glenn, of Ashton, were entertained Thursday at dinner at the home of Mrs. George Carbaugh.

LAF-A-LOT CLUB—

A meeting of the Lafa-Lot club will be held at the home of Mrs. Spencer Henderson on Thursday evening. It is hoped that all members can be present.

FROM MILWAUKEE-DOWNER—

Miss Ruth Rosenthal has returned home from the Milwaukee-Downer college for Girls to spend the summer vacation.

SOCIAL IN PRAIRIEVILLE—

The Prairieville Social Circle will hold an ice cream and cake social on the church lawn Tuesday evening. Everyone is invited.

NURSES PICNICKED—

The nurses of the Dixon hospital and other hospital officials enjoyed a picnic supper at Lowell Park Friday evening. The trip to the park was made by boat.

FROM IOWA VISIT—

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Miner and daughter Dorothy are home from a five weeks' visit with Mrs. Miner's parents, in Burlington, Ia.

FROM MARYLAND—

William Dickey, a former resident here, is visiting old friends here from Westminster, Md. He has been at Winona Lake, Md.

VISITED IN STERLING—

Mr. and Mrs. Letroy Buhler visited in Sterling yesterday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Buhler, the former's parents.

VISIT IN ROCK FALLS—

Lloyd Berger and his brother-in-law, David M. Swartz, of Orangeville, Ill., motored to Rock Falls today to visit the former's brother, J. J. Berger.

CANOE TRIP—

Everett Dutcher and John Kelly have gone to Rockford and are making the return trip down the river by canoe.

MOTORED TO STERLING—

Misses Marie Condon and Hazel Green, of this city, and Ray McCullough and Earl Lawton, of Peoria, motored to Sterling Sunday afternoon.



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Utley-Dement Union Event of Saturday

At 4 o'clock Saturday afternoon at the residence of her grandfather, Jason C. Ayres, 421 Peoria avenue, the marriage of Miss Carmen Louise Dement, daughter of Mrs. Lewmon D. Dement, and Gordon Griffith Utley took place in the presence of a small company of relatives and friends. Rev. H. M. Babin, the rector of St. Luke's Episcopal church, read the service.

The bride was given away by her grandfather, Jason C. Ayres.

In the bridal party were the two little flower girls, Anne and Mary Davies, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Morgan L. Davies, of Winnetka, and nieces of the bride, and the two bridesmaids, Miss Mary Morrison and Miss Rosanna Dement, the latter the bride's sister. The groom was met at the improvised altar before the marble fireplace by his best man, Douglas Harvey, of this city.

The bride's gown was of white beaded Georgette crepe, with court train of satin. Rose point lace, worn by both her mother and her sister, Mrs. Morgan L. Davies, when they were married, was used on the bride's gown and veil. Orange blossoms were combined with the lace in fastening the veil. The bride wore the beautiful pearls worn by every bride in the Utley family for many generations. Her shower bouquet was of white rosebuds, swainsons, and lilies of the valley.

The dainty and diminutive flower maidens were each gown in white or gaudie frocks, smocked in pink, and each carried baskets of pink and white flowers. The bridesmaids wore white organdie and lace gowns with organdie hats. Ribbons of blue and orchid composed the sash of Miss Morrison's gown and her hat trimming, while pink and green were combined in those of the bridesmaid, Miss Dement. Both bridesmaids carried pink roses.

The wedding march, "The Bridal Chorus" from "Lohengrin," was beautifully played by Miss Helen McKenney.

The fire place, before which the ceremony took place, was banked with white peonies and syringas, with white foxgloves and blue delphinium on either side. Tall white candles were used on the mantel and about the rooms. Pink peonies were used in the other rooms, with the exception of the dining room, where pink and white roses and maiden-hair fern were used. The decorations were arranged by Fallstrom.

Mrs. McEntee and the Misses Olga and Alice Rice assisted in the dining room where a buffet luncheon was served, after the ceremony. The wedding party motored to Polo in the evening where Mr. and Mrs. Utley took train. Cards have come today telling of their arrival in Winnipeg. Their ultimate destination is Lake Louise and Banff in the Rocky Mountain Park in the province of Alberta, Western Canada. A large company saw them off at Polo. The bride's traveling costume was a dark blue tulle with which a flower-trimmed leghorn hat was worn.

Out-of-town guests at the wedding were Mrs. Emma Utley, of Springfield, Ill., the Misses Helen and Ruth Utley, of Sterling, and Mr. and Mrs. Morgan L. Davies, of Winnetka.

Mr. Utley is remodeling the residence at 122 East Third street, this city, which he recently purchased from the Dimick estate and they hope to have the work completed so that they may take up their residence there upon their return.

In the marriage of Saturday two of the oldest and most influential of Dixon families were united. Mr. Utley is president of the Dixon Cereal and Feed company.

ENTERTAINED—

The Misses Pratt entertained at their home in North Dixon Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Baldwin, of Fulton, Ill., and their daughter, Mrs. Harold Hyde, of Grand Rapids, Mich. Mr. and Mrs. Baldwin returned to Fulton last evening and Mrs. Hyde remained for a longer visit. She is being entertained

by Mrs. Lewis McGeorge, of Gladwyn, Mich., who is a guest at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Laing.

GUESTS FROM CHICAGO—
Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bischoff, of Chicago, are guests at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Lord.

FROM DENTAL COLLEGE—
William Rock has returned from the University of Illinois College of Dentistry to spend the summer vacation with his parents.

COME FROM COLORADO—
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Keenan are expected to arrive today from Salida, Colo., to visit with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Keenan.

PICNIC AT LOWELL—
Miss Isabelle Frye entertained with a picnic today at Lowell park ten girl friends in honor of her 17th birthday.

FROM CHAMPAIGN—
Miss Lorraine Hopper is expected to day from Champaign to visit her grandmother, Mrs. George Squires.

WITH MISS STACKPOLE—
Miss Lottie Krug, of Ashton, was the guest of Miss Florence Stackpole on Thursday.

VISITED IN OHIO—
Mrs. L. B. Cummins will return home Tuesday from a visit with her son, Mr. Gill, of Gailson, Ohio.

WEEK END VISIT—
Miss Eldora Ivan of Rockford, was the guest for the week end of her aunt, Mrs. William Remmers.

TO STERLING—
Miss Anna Thompson went to Sterling Saturday evening to visit her sister, Mrs. J. C. Dusing.

VISITED IN AURORA—
Mrs. Schorr returned Friday from a visit in West Chicago and Aurora.

VISITING SISTER—
Charles Knapp of Syracuse, N. Y., is visiting his sister Mrs. Ralph McGuirk.

NO MEETING—
There will be no meeting of the Hamilton club this week.

AT CONVENTION
Dr. W. F. Aydelotte, Health Instructor, is attending the annual meeting of the McCormick Medical College Students Association and Convention, being held at the college, 2100 Prairie avenue, Chicago.

The doctor will be in his Dixon office—in residence—223 Crawford Avenue again Thursday, June 19th and each day thereafter, he having discontinued out-of-town offices—in the interest of efficiency and greater service.

Dr. Aydelotte believes in Thinking, Success, in Eating and Exercising for health and strength, and that the sooner we get at it the more useful, happier and healthful we will find life here and now. He expects to return better equipped than ever to direct his growing clientele in the Health Worth While.

VERDICT OF ACCIDENTAL DROWNING IN ENGLE CASE
Walter L. Preston was called to Pine Creek township this morning to testify at the inquest into the death of William Engle, the 11-year-old boy who was drowned Wednesday afternoon, the Dixon man having been called to the scene with his lungmotor. The jurors, as follows, returned a verdict of accidental drowning: Elmer Knapp, M. H. Brimblecom, G. W. Drew, C. C. Barnett, C. Stein and Leslie Scott.

ICE CREAM SOCIAL
Ice cream social Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Edward Graves, 510 North Dixon Ave., given by Grace church Aid. 14011

PICNIC TIME IS HERE
We have quantities of white paper for the picnic supper table. Price 1c a sheet. Evening Telegraph office.
Frank Delhotal, of West Brooklyn was here Friday.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

WANTED—500 girls and women. Factories in Freeport, Illinois offer excellent opportunity for girls and women to earn \$9 to \$13 per week. We need girls over 16 years to learn the brush business, paper box making, corset making, and hosiery making. If you are looking for a good permanent position, then here is your chance at good wages. Write at once to the Freeport Chamber of Commerce, Freeport, Ill., stating your age, experience if any, and how soon you can start to work and also give your full name and address. This is a real opportunity for girls over 16 years. Good room and board can be secured at reasonable rates through the U. S. Home Registration Service free of charge. Write the Freeport Chamber of Commerce today. 14013

FOR SALE—660 acres rich bottom corn, wheat, alfalfa farm. 600 acres cultivated. Good improvements. Pulaski county, Illinois: \$88 per acre. Worth \$125. W. E. Minton, Holland Building, St. Louis, Missouri. 14013

FOUND—Bunch of keys on ground where aerial express plane landed Thursday. Owner may have same by calling at this office and paying for adv. 14011

LOST—Suit case containing mostly baby clothes between Nachusa and Franklin Grove. Name H. W. Horn printed on case. Finder notify C. H. Larkin, Ohio, Ill. 14013

FOR SALE—Lot 50x150, on Nachusa Ave., across from the Woodworth School. Apply to S. M. Hodgson, Winnetka, Minnesota, or to W. W. Woolley, City. 14016

HAY FOR SALE—About 6 acres June grass, also 10 acres clover and timothy. Dixon County Club, Louis Pitcher Vice President. 14013

FOR SALE—1 dozen White Wyandotte Rose Comb hens and roosters. Also 20 baby chicks of same breed. Mrs. Geo. Kreitzer, PYhone X242. 14013

WANTED—Man to work on farm for two weeks or longer. LeRoy Buhler, R. 1, Dixon, Ill. Telephone Dixon rural 59,121. 14013

FOR SALE—Mechanical drawing outfit complete. Cheap if taken at once. Call 117 Crawford Ave., or phone 754. 14013

FOR SALE—2 small lots at the Charles place 50x100 ft. Mrs. J. B. Charles, 303 E. Boyd St. Phone K869. 14017

FOR RENT—Furnished room for gentleman, in modern home 1-2 block from Court House. Enquire 315 Oak-tawa Ave. 14013

WANTED—Colored salesman. Marvelous new health, accident insurance. Big opportunity. Free outfit. Box 351, Chicago. 14011

FOR SALE—Overland touring car in good condition. Has electric lights and electric starter. Angelo Bassetti, R. 4, Cement Hotel, Tel. 5-600. 14016

LOST—Bunch of 8 or 10 keys on ring Thursday. Finder please return to this office. 14013

WANTED—Lawn mowers to sharpen and gasoline engines to repair. Win. Herzog, Amboy, Ill. Phone 103. 14013

FOR SALE—Fine strawberries for canning. Sell by crate or half crate delivered. Phone X406. 14013

WANTED—Bell boy. Dixon Inn. 14011

THE PROMOTER'S WIFE

By JANE PHELPS.

CHAPTER CXXI.

The armistice had been signed. The war was over. How Neil and other men who had worked as he had lived thru it I never shall understand. It was not only the soldier in the trenches who took his life in his hand ready to give it willingly if necessary. But men at home, men who carried the financial burden of the war, men who supplied the where-withal to fight, and who could not for a moment sleep at the post.

Frederick insisted that Neil take a rest, but first he called him into his private office.

"How much have you saved, Forbes?" Neil told him. He was dumfounded.

"We have lived very simply, Barbara has done all she could to help. Our entire expenses have been covered by one hundred dollars a month—thanks to her—ever since we left New York. The rest is in bank until I have enough to clear up my indebtedness to Scott and others."

Frederick said nothing more just then about his finances, but insisted upon Neil taking a month's vacation. He advised Maine or Canada, some entire change. Neil said nothing, but came to me with his plan which was to simply stay at home and "get acquainted with his family."

"I of course get full salary, so it will mean saving if I remain here. Then I am so tired I long just for you and the quiet of home."

I agreed with him that it would be for the best. I was as anxious as he to get our debts paid. More perhaps as I hoped that were he free his boyishness had all disappeared. He had been tried, had been burnt in the fires, and even tho he never again would be found wanting, the effect had been terrible upon him.

Robert was delighted. Many precious hours did he and his father spend together, taking long walks, or sitting on the porch talking of what Robert should be when he grew up. Once I overheard his father tell him:

"Never think that money is everything, my boy. It is all right to plan to be a good business man, to earn and have your share of the good things of life. But never do it at the expense of another. Selfishness, indifference to others brings sorrow in its train always. In some way, I want my son to be respected, honored, because he is honorable." Tears filled my eyes as I heard not so much because of the words, as the sadness of the tone.

"I want to be like you father," had been the boy's answer.

"I pray you may never be like me, I pray you may be a far better man than ever I have been. Some day when you are older I shall tell you a story. When you are old enough to understand."

I crept quietly away. Was Neil never to be at peace? Was he always to carry with him the knowledge that he

had nearly shared the common fate of criminals because he had done wrong? Father and mother visited us during Neil's vacation. They were delighted with our little home, and I knew happier than when they visited us in town. They knew very little of what had happened, simply that Neil had lost most of his money, and was starting over again. Neil frankly told of his work with Frederick, of what he hoped to do now that the war was over.

"A simple life is the best," father said, as we all sat in the little living room after dinner. "I am sure you will be happier if you do not try for too great riches. They take wings and fly away as you have seen. Love, a few friends, enough to live comfortably, what more does anyone need?"

It was so like dear father to talk like that. He never preached, never questioned. But when he expressed himself it was always in language that disclosed the sweetness of his nature. His simple theory of life.

We had made a few friends in our new home. Nice intelligent people about our own age. We played bridge with them occasionally and once in a while one or the other would give a little dinner. I cultivated them more now than I had before. Neil would be better for a little society, altho he grumblingly declared he wanted none of it. Yet I noticed that when he and the men talked—men who were trying to make headway in business—that he brightened up considerably, and that he invariably talked so they were interested.

"A few friends," father had said. I knew he was right. I must not allow Neil to draw completely away from human companionship.

Tomorrow—Neil Pays the Last of his Obligations.

EDWARDS SPOKE AT MENDOTA ELKS MEET

States Attorney Harry Edwards delivered the address of the day at the Flag Day exercises held by Mendota lodge B. P. O. Elks at that city Sunday afternoon, and a number of Dixon Elks accompanied him there, forming a fine motor party. The exercises were held in the park and proved very inspiring. Mr. Edwards' address being reported as being exceptionally patriotic.

ICE CREAM SOCIAL
Ice cream social on Prairieville church lawn, given by Prairieville Social Circle, on Tuesday evening. Everyone invited. 14011

WEDDING TRUSTEES' SALE
States Attorney Edwards and Master-Chambers Keller, went to Ashton Saturday afternoon to conduct a partition sale in the Leco estate.

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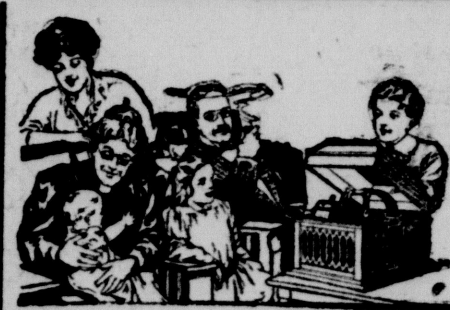
"To Be a Second Wife Seemed Like Having A Warmed Over Dinner,

Only it was affection instead of love that was warmed over."

So reasoned Sandra Courtney, with all the innocence of just-eighteen. Never, never, would she marry a man who had been married before!

And yet Everett Graham, rich and handsome, forty-one and a widower, persuaded her to marry him. So she put aside the persistent little doubt that would creep into her mind, even on her wedding morning, and went trustingly away with him.

Her chum said the ghost of his first wife would haunt her. But Sandra laughed at that idea. Didn't she love Everett,—not in the overwhelming fashion the novelist painted, to be sure, but that sort of love would come in time. Did it come? And did she have reason to be jealous of the earlier wife? Read "Sandra the Jealous," beginning Monday in The Telegraph.



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AMENDING COMMISSION FORM
LAW.

If Senator Carlson's new bill to amend
the commission form law goes through,
commissioner candidates will specify the
city departments they want to han-
dle, instead of waiting to be assigned
to departments after they are elected.
This should make for fitness of the
commissioner for the job, or at least will
demonstrate that the candidate believes
himself to be more fit for the depart-
ment he names than for any other. It
is likely, also, to increase the number
of commissioner candidates, and may
result in some men being elected by
fewer votes than are received by others
who find themselves defeated.

Nevertheless the proposition seems to
lessen the chance of a commission find-
ing itself with a square peg trying to
fit itself into a round hole. Usually a
man knows what he can do best, and
the voters should be able to make a
reasonably accurate decision as between
two or more men running for a stated
commissionership.

Perhaps the commission-form law
could be strengthened considerably if it
should be made to make it imperative
that no commissioner, in whatever de-
partment, shall be allowed to make im-
portant decisions of his own accord,
without submitting the matters to a
vote of the whole council, and without
the whole council going on record in the
matter.

NOT EVEN CAPITAL PUNISHMENT.

When Chancellor Scheidemann
shrieks that the allied peace treaty aims
at the "murder of a nation," he only
reminds the world that Germany un-
dertook to murder several nations, and
very nearly succeeded with some of
them.

A more fitting term for Herr Scheide-
mann to use would be "capital punish-
ment," a technical name for the legal
execution of an assassin.

The allies, though, have not really
gone so far as that. They do not pro-
pose to take the criminal's life. They
merely intend to impose a rather mod-
erate sentence of fine and imprisonment,
and letting the guilty nation work it
out at hard labor.

The sentence will be indeterminate.
The time may be shortened by diligent
work and good behavior. It may keep
the Germans occupied and unable to de-
vote much attention to their national
aspiration for conquest for twenty or
thirty years. If it should subdue this
aspiration altogether, so much the better
for Germany and the world.

Germany stands to get off easy
enough. The German empire deserved
to be torn to pieces for its monstrous
crime. The allies are leaving it with all
the strictly German states, out of which
the big federation was built, still united.
The head, which is Prussia, is still on
the shoulders, merely minus an ear as it
were; and not one German limb has been
lopped off.

THE MONEY-BELT A BAD BANK.

Over in Terre Haute, Ind., a man was
in the habit of carrying his life's sav-
ings in a money-belt went to work the
other morning, having forgotten to put
the belt on. The usual thing happened.

Beauty Parlor

Shampoo with hot oil or witch
hazel, 75c; plain shampoo...50c
Manicuring50c
Facial massage, \$1.00 per hour
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hour50c

Switches made from combings.
Meltonia toilet preparations.
Nothing better on the market,
used by many Dixon ladies.

Ask to see my full line of cor-
sets. The American Queen,
Madame Grace and Barclay
corsets for stout women.

Mrs. A. B. Taylor

DIXON NATL. BANK BLDG.

The money and the belt were stolen
during his absence. This led the Terre
Haute Tribune to suggest that one of
the things our Americanization agen-
cies may well teach is the advantage of
a bank over a money-belt.

Time was, especially in the big cities,
when banks in which newcomers put
their money were apt to go to smash.
Generally the banker was a compatriot
of a large number of his depositors. He
was a man who had deliberately set out
to rob his fellows. But not one man in
a thousand who put his money in a well
established and reputable bank ever lost
a cent by it.

And now, under recently adopted laws
regulating banking, it is going to be
next to impossible for any one to lose
a bank deposit. Put your money in a
bank—it's ten times safer than a
money-belt or any hiding place under
the carpet.

THE NEW STONE BOATS.

The concrete ships that have caused
such amazement, incredulity and satis-
faction in their successful development
and progress, have already been im-
proved upon, according to latest re-
ports. The new stone boats are to be
of "puffed brick." The material is the
same as that used in making ordinary
bricks, but it is treated like popcorn or
some of the ready-to-eat breakfast foods,
being subjected to intense heat which
puffs it up. It is then ground, mixed
with cement and poured into molds just
as concrete is.

There are two such ships nearly com-
pleted and ready for launching at San
Francisco. Their walls will be about
forty percent lighter than those of con-
crete ships, and will have equal
strength.

It is all perfectly proper, of course,
and goods or passengers in such ves-
sels will doubtless have safe voyage.
But where will the poets and romance
of-the-sea writers come in? Somehow it
seems rather hard to feel romantic
about puffed brick hulls. But the world
"do move," and our poets will have to
move with it.

Tennessee's Action
on Suffrage Illegal

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Nashville, Tenn., June 16.—Chancel-
lor James B. Newman today held that
the recent act of the legislature giving
women the right to vote in city and
presidential elections was unconstitu-
tional.

ICE CREAM SOCIAL.

An ice cream social will be held Tues-
day evening, June 17th at the Sunday
school house, three miles north of
Franklin Grove. Miss Nona Fuller,
teacher.

EXPLOSION AT
FILLING STATION
SUNDAY MORNING

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plosion was toward Second street or in
the rear of the heating plant.
Not Caused By Oil.
The chief stated that the explosion
could not have been caused by any of
the oils or greases in or about the
building, as exploding oil always
scorches or burns surfaces with which
it comes in contact. There was abso-
lutely no indication of any scorching
anywhere in the building after the ex-

LEGAL PUBLICATIONS.

SPECIAL ASSESSMENT NOTICE
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to all
persons interested, that the Council of
the City of Dixon, a municipal corpora-
tion, in the County of Lee and State of
Illinois, has by LOCAL IMPROVE-
MENT ORDINANCE Number 191, Se-
ries of 1919, passed by the Council of
said City of Dixon on the 29th day of
April, A. D. 1919, and approved by the
Mayor of said City on the 29th day of
April, A. D. 1919, provided for the fur-
nishing of the labor and materials for,
and the construction of vitrified tile
pipe sewer for storm water and sanitary
purposes with manholes, catch
basins and house connection laterals in
Jackson Avenue in the City of Dixon,
Illinois, from the manhole heretofore
constructed at the intersection of
Seventh street, southerly to a point
Three Hundred and Forty (340) feet
south of the center of Ninth Street in
said City.

The said manholes are to be con-
structed along the line of the sewer
aforesaid and located as follows: At the
center line of Eighth Street; At the
center line of Ninth Street; At the
southerly terminus of the said sewer,
as follows, to-wit: At the Northeast
corner of the intersection of Jackson
Avenue and Eighth Street; At the South-
west corner of the intersection of
Jackson Avenue and Eighth Street; At
the Northwest corner of the intersection
of Jackson Avenue and Eighth Street;
At the southeast corner of the intersec-
tion of Jackson Avenue and
Ninth Street; At the southwest corner
of the intersection of Jackson Avenue
and Ninth Street.

That said Ordinance is now on file in
the office of the City Clerk of the City
of Dixon, Illinois; that application has
been made to the County Court of Lee
County, Illinois, for an assessment of
the cost of said improvement according
to benefits, as provided by law and said
Ordinance; that an assessment therefor
has been made and returned to said
court, and that the final hearing there-
on will be had before said Court, in the
County Court room in the Court
House, in the said City of Dixon, Coun-
ty and State aforesaid, at 9 o'clock in
the forenoon on the 7th day of July, A.
D. 1919 or as soon thereafter as the
business of the court will permit.

All persons desiring may file ob-
jections to said assessment in said court,
before said time and may appear at
said hearing and make defense.

Said assessment is payable in ten (10)
annual installments. All installments
bear interest at the rate of Five Per
Cent (5%) per annum, according to
law, until paid.

Dated at Dixon, Illinois, this 6th day
of June, A. D. 1919.
Harold F. Sheller, Commissioner.

plosion. The chief further states that
the peculiar odor which is always noted
after an explosion of any kind of oil
was not a characteristic of the mysteri-
ous explosion here.

Air Tank Is Intact.
When Lee Good, who suffered badly
bruised back and hips when he was
thrown against the safe, recovered his
consciousness, he at once thought the
compressed air tank in the basement,
which furnishes air for autoists, had
exploded; but investigation showed
that the tank was as good as the day it
was installed. Inasmuch as Mr. Good
had been in the cellar twice before the
explosion, the second trip being but a
short time before the concussion, and
had noted no unusual odors, he can of-
fer no explanation which would take in-
to account the usual supplies in the
building.

Mysterious Circumstances.
Among the mysterious circumstances
attendant the explosion was the finding
of a celluloid comb, which had been on a
glass shelf in the ladies' lavatory on
the main floor of the building, burning
on a box in the basement immediately
after the accident.

The force of the explosion was felt as
far away as the city hall, a distance of
two blocks, where some plastering was
loosened from the cell room in the jail.

BOLSHEVIKI READY
QUIT PETROGRAD

By Associated Press Leased Wire
London, June 16.—Active prepara-
tions are being made for the evacuation
of Petrograd, it is announced in a wire-
less dispatch from Moscow received
here today.

WHITE GUARDS ADVANCE.

Stockholm, June 16.—White guards
have captured the important fort of
Krasnayamorka, across the bay of
Kronstadt, from the fortress of Kron-
stadt, the chief seaward defense of Pe-
trograd, according to an official state-
ment issued from Estonian headquar-
ters. It is said that the white guards
won their success after the garrison of
the fort had mutinied against the bol-
sheviki.

MAN CHARGES WOMAN
WITH ASSAULT AND BATTERY

Mrs. Rose Lechner, residing south of
the Northwestern tracks and west of
the Pump factory road, was arrested this
morning by Sheriff Schoenholz on a
warrant sworn out by Charles Klapp-
rodt, charging her with assault and
battery. The plaintiff claims that the
woman assaulted him on Sunday, June
1 and tore his shirt into shreds. The
case will be taken up in Justice Grover
Gehant's court Friday.

SPANISH WAR VETERANS
WILL MEET AT KEWANEE

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Chicago, June 16.—The Illinois con-
vention of United Spanish War Vet-
erans will be held in Kewanee, Ill.,
June 19-21, according to an announce-
ment made today by Elmer M. Lawson,
department commander.

SON BORN.

Sunday morning a nine and one-half
pound boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. J.
L. Gallagher, of Lincoln Way. Mother
and child are both doing well.

ABE MARTIN



You kin live with any wife by actin'
like a boarder. Lot's o' people git credit
ter bein' efficient when ther only slick.

TELEGRAPHERS GAIN
POINT IN DISPUTE

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Service continued on local lines. Offi-
cials of the new union said that the
strike would be carried out as schedul-
ed.

ORDERS NOT DELIVERED.

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Springfield, Ill., June 16.—"The order
calling off the strike set for today evi-
dently has not been communicated to
the outlying districts of Los Angeles,"
said Secretary Charles P. Ford of the
International Brotherhood of Electrical
Workers when informed of the action
of linemen and switchboard men in Los
Angeles in leaving their work this
morning.

APPLIES TO ALL WIRES.

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Atlantic City, N. J., June 16.—Post-
master General Burleson's order grant-
ing the right of collective bargaining
to electrical and telephone workers,
signing of which on Saturday averted
a nation-wide strike applies to all other
employees under the postoffice de-
partment including telegraph operators
and postal employees, according to a re-

port made today to the convention of
the American Federation of Labor by
P. H. McCarthy of San Francisco, chair-
man of the committee that went to
Washington under direction of the con-
vention.

ST. LOUIS TIED UP.

By Associated Press Leased Wire
St. Louis, June 16.—A strike of tele-
phone operators and other electrical
workers which went into effect here at
8 a. m. today had completely tied up
service of the Kinloch Telephone com-
pany and crippled service of the South-
western Bell company several hours
later. No estimate of the number of
workers out could be made early in the
day.

DENVER WORKERS OUT.

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Denver, Colo., June 16.—In default
of receipt of instructions to the con-
trary, members of the Denver local union
of the International Brotherhood of
Electrical Workers went out on strike
this morning, in response to the issue
called last week.

CITY BRIEFS

Case Continued—Thomas and Mich-
ael Drew were arrested this morning
by the police on warrants issued from
the court of Justice Grover Gehant,
charging them with having disturbed
the peace. The case was continued un-
til next Monday morning at 9 o'clock.

Baby Daughter Is Dead—Violet El-
izabeth, the infant daughter of Mr. and
Mrs. Reuben Forney, of Palmyra, pass-
ed away at their home Sunday morn-
ing. Funeral services were held at the
home yesterday afternoon, with burial
at Palmyra cemetery.

Potatoes From Garden—J. E. White,
230 Lincoln Way, reports today that
his family enjoyed new potatoes and
peas from their garden Sunday.

Miss Anna Schnell, brother Edward,
William Mills, of Ashton, Mandle Ker-
sten and Herbert Kersten, of Rochelle,
and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Heibenthal, of
Ashton, were among those attending the
Thursday celebration here.

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and help to entertain the
boys.

Music by Marquette and
Heft-Slothower orchestras.

WORK HARD DURING
HOT WEATHER

Yes, it's all right to work well, and buckle down to
HARD work, too, but why refuse COMFORT?

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room of it, cooler—and after a day's hard work it's the
most SATISFACTORY thing to go home to a bit of
comfort that's obtainable because you've restful chairs
and benches and swings on your porch—sit down—rest
—cool off and enjoy HOME.

Money spent for summer furniture is a MIGHTY wise
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sirable pieces. And you'll be delighted and surprised
on finding how little you'll spend in fitting your porch
with dainty grass rugs, "Aerolux" shades and easy
chairs and swings and such things.

COME IN OFTEN TO "LOOK AROUND"
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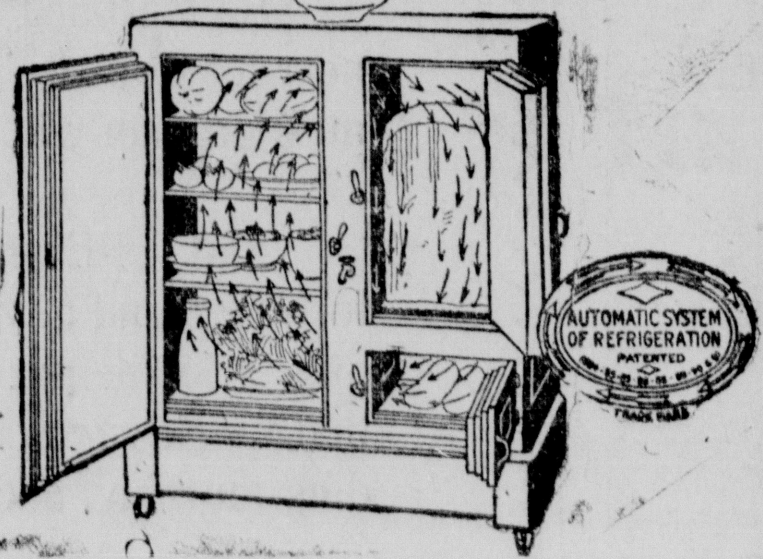
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3600 AMERICANS INFLECT LOSS OF 200 ON MEXICANS

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today and resumed command of the federal troops remaining after American soldiers entered. Upon the occupation of Juarez by the Americans, General Gonzales withdrew in the direction of Samalayuca to prevent any clashes between the American and Mexican government troops because of mistaken identity or purpose.

General Gonzales was assured by Lieutenant Cox, aide-de-camp to General Erwin, that he would be given every consideration.

Federals Resent Help

"This is a matter for my superior officers and for my president to consider," General Gonzales said at Fort Hidalgo. "I am not in position to impose my own view upon the situation, although I do not and do not yet think, the crossing of the American forces was necessary for the defeat of the Villa forces as my forces defended the town most bravely."

At the fort it was announced that the 70 Villa prisoners had been taken south with Gonzales' column and that eight of the officers of Villa's command made prisoners had been executed. It was also stated by Major Hernandez that the body of Manuel Castro, a Villa general had been found in the trenches east of town.

Villa Lost 200

The number of Villa rebels killed during the engagement was placed at 200 by the federals while 70 were wounded, they said. They said they could not estimate of their own losses.

The American troops, mostly 24th infantrymen, guard the American approaches to the international bridge today while diminutive Mexican soldiers stand guard at Mexican end of the bridge.

Juarez Quiet Today

The Chinese and Mexican refugees who were detained at the United States Immigration station during the night were released and permitted to return to Juarez where everything was quiet. Customs inspection was suspended at the Mexican end of the bridge.

One American officer in command of a colored infantry company told of his experience during the fighting with the rebels last night. He said one band of rebels held up their hands in token of surrender, then opened fire on the Americans at close range. All the rebel bands were killed.

U. S. TROOPS VICTORIOUS.

By Associated Press Leased Wire
El Paso, Tex., June 16.—American troops sent into Mexico last night to stop the indiscriminate firing across the border fought their first general engagement with the Mexican rebel forces of Francisco Villa, at the Juarez race track shortly after 2 o'clock this morning, and the Americans were victorious.

Villa's troops were driven from the race track by rifle and machine-gun fire and many prisoners were reported taken by the United States cavalry which took positions east and southeast of the track, according to an official report at military headquarters.

General Fight Sunday.

The Mexican rebels and federal troops fought in the streets of Juarez Saturday night and Sunday night, many on both sides being killed. Many bullets from the rebel guns came across the Rio Grande, and two persons were killed and seven wounded on the American side.

3,600 Troops Cross.

When the Mexican bullets became too thick for the safety of the citizens of El Paso, Brig. Gen. J. B. Erwin, at 11 o'clock last night ordered American troops to cross the border, and in ten minutes after the order was issued 3600 United States soldiers were in Mexico. The first troops to cross the border were the Fourth battalion of the 24th infantry (colored), a battalion of the 82nd artillery, and the Fifth and Seventh cavalry.

After the Mexican federals were allowed to retire into Juarez, Colonel Had sell's colored infantry opened up with a terrific rifle fire on the trenches flanking the race track. They advanced in open order and succeeded in dislodging the Villa forces who held the strongest positions as the colored troops were forced to advance across a comparatively open plain. The first volleys from the riflemen were answered, shot for shot, by the Villa troops who seemed to realize they were trapped by the cavalry in the rear and the infantry in front.

Machine Guns Open Fire.

American machine guns started sputtering from adobe houses near the race track and the preponderance of rifle fire was soon with the American forces. The preliminary artillery preparation having been completed, the shrapnel guns became silent as the rifles took up the refrain. The explosion of Mauser and American cartridges could be plain-

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PRICE 25c a BOX

ly distinguished from military headquarters in the Mills building here, where General Erwin was an interested spectator from his tenth story window.

Villistas Fall Back.

As the American cavalry maneuvered over the Juarez plain their positions were marked by green rockets and were answered by similar star shells from the top of the Mills building. At 2:30 the rifle firing had died down, indicating the Villa forces were defeated and were being driven into the hills or pursued by the United States cavalry.

The American artillery was stationed in a position from which the Juarez race track where the Villa rebels were quartered could be shelled with shrapnel. A flanking movement was begun in an effort to prevent the escape of the rebels.

Protected El Paso.

In announcing his action in ordering Americans into Juarez Brigadier General Erwin said he had done so to prevent the indiscriminate firing into El Paso by rebel soldiers, endangering the lives of Americans.

An American soldier shot and killed a Mexican sniper who fired on him from the top of an adobe house at the intersection of Ninth and Stanton streets at 1:30 o'clock this morning. Orders have been given for the American soldiers to shoot all snipers. A woman and another Mexican who were on the roof with the snipers, were captured.

Japanese Idea of Music.

Among the Japanese especially, a directly divine origin is attributed to music. The mythical legend runs that the art was invented by the gods to appease the anger of the sun goddess and to induce her to shine once more upon the earth, and upon the other divinities. The melodies which resulted were potent to prevail upon her, and thus was light restored to the world and music and dancing were given for its delight.

Soya Bean Oil Production.

Soya bean oil, which originates principally in Manchuria, is almost entirely controlled by Japanese. The supply of beans last year was very large and the amount of oil turned out was limited only by the capacity of mills. A number of large new plants were started both in Manchuria and Japan and most of the already established mills increased their capacity.

Great Is Power of Love.

If you would gain mankind, the best way is to appear to love them; and the best way of appearing to love them is to love them in reality.—J. Bentham.

Strength of Bone and Oak.

A very small bone, only one square millimeter—0.0155 square inch—in diameter, will hold 33 pounds in suspension without breaking, while a piece of the best oak of the same thickness will hold up only 22 pounds.

—Please phone names of returned soldiers, sailors and nurses to No. 10 or K646.

ALCOCK AND HIS MARINER FINISH OVERSEA FLIGHT

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rangements were made for mechanics to leave London immediately to make repairs.

Word came from Clifden in the afternoon that the pilot and the navigator of the biplane were leaving for Galway, whence Lieut. Brown planned to travel by train to London, arriving there on Tuesday morning.

Capt. Alcock, however, hoped to be able to fly to London in the machine which made the record flight as soon as it could be repaired. It was planned to have him give an exhibition over London in the machine if possible.

The Aero club received a message from Clifden not long after the trans-Atlantic fliers landed, signed by them, which merely stated that they had completed the flight in sixteen hours and twelve minutes. They requested instructions from the club.

To Confirm Flight

In reply the club telegraphed Capt. Alcock: "Keep machine intact until observer arrives."

The air ministry stated that certain marks were put on the airplane at Newfoundland which must be officially identified before the flight is declared to have been officially completed. It was said at the ministry that it was probable one of its officials would leave Dublin in an airplane to relieve Alcock and Brown.

It was hardly believed there that the machine could be repaired before several days had passed, and it was thought both the aviators would proceed to England by rail.

Alcock and Brown stood the trip well.

Had No Accident

Their voyage was without accident and without unforeseen incident while on the way, so far as can be learned. It was a straight-away, clean cut flight from America to Ireland.

But the brief and modest description which comes from the airmen at Clifden tells of an adventurous and amazingly hazardous enterprise.

Fog and mists hung over the North Atlantic, and the Vickers-Vimy biplane climbed and dived struggling to extricate itself from the folds of the airplane's worst enemy.

It rose to 11,000 feet, swooped down almost to the surface of the sea, and at times the two navigators found themselves flying upside down only ten feet above the water.

First Honor Belongs to U. S.

The feat of Alcock and Lieut. Brown won for them the \$50,000 prize offered by the London Daily Mail for the first non-stop flight across the Atlantic. But they were not the first to fly the ocean. That honor belongs to the crew of an American naval plane—the NC-4. This plane started from Newfoundland via the Azores and landed on the shores of Europe at Lisbon May 27.

WELCOMING MACHINE WRECKED

By Associated Press Leased Wire
London, June 15.—(Delayed.)—When the Vickers-Vimy biplane, driven by Captain John Alcock was first sighted

crossing the Irish coast says a dispatch to the Daily Mail from Clifden Galway, an airplane flew out of the Oranmore airfield to render assistance. The machine landed near the Vimy but unfortunately was wrecked, owing to the softness of the ground.

Both Flyers Deaf.

When assistance reached the machine the two aviators were helped to the ground and it was found that Lt. Brown was slightly injured on the nose and mouth by the jolt given them when it struck the ground. Both men were deaf and dazed and were unable to walk steadily for some minutes. They quickly recovered, and were escorted to the wireless station in triumph, being given the best hospitality available.

Was Trying Ordeal.

Describing the trip the aviators said they had a very trying ordeal, Captain Alcock saying that the sun came out only once when the biplane had attained a height of 11,000 feet. Only three astronomical observations were possible during the voyage. The altitude of the machine varied from a few feet from the water up to 13,000 feet and the fliers never sighted a single ship.

"I didn't know once during the night whether I was upside down or not," said Captain Alcock. "Once we ascended hurriedly when we saw the green Atlantic only 30 feet below."

Stay Wire Carried Away.

The breaking away of the propeller generating current for the wireless apparatus from communicating with the shore. When it happened, Lt. Brown noticed that the propeller had carried away with it one of the stay wires, but he did not tell Capt. Alcock until after they had landed at Clifden. When Alcock learned of the incident he said: "I would have turned back had I known."

Weather Was Bad.

Weather conditions were very bad during the trip and Lt. Brown had to climb from his seat to clear the ice away from the petrol gauge.

After breakfast today Lt. Brown went to bed, while Capt. Alcock inspected the machine. The lieutenant, however, was unable to sleep and soon got up. By noon, both were looking perfectly well and willingly distributed autographs to admirers. Capt. Alcock wanted to fly to England in a borrowed plane but his companion observed: "I have had enough flying for a bit."

Capt. Alcock exhibited a bunch of rain soaked letters which he had been asked to mail if the flight was successful, saying: "I am the first trans-Atlantic postman."

Went 110 Miles An Hour.

The two aviators said they were only once in real danger, when the machine went into a flat spin, owing to the pilot being unable to tell how the machine was moved. Lt. Brown, noticing that the compass needle was swinging from side to side—the first indication that something was wrong—managed to get Capt. Alcock to understand the difficulty. The machine traveled at a rate of 140 miles an hour at times and the pilot once found himself diving straight toward the surface of the ocean. He was so near the water that he had to "snatch" the machine from his dive so quickly that it almost looped the loop. He says the machine

would have crumpled up had it touched the water at the speed it was then traveling.

The biplane is being guarded by soldiers and it is probable that it will be necessary to dismantle it.

U. S SENDS CONGRATULATIONS

By Associated Press Leased Wire
London, June 16.—Major Murry of the United States army air service has telegraphed the following message to Captain John Alcock at Clifden, Ireland:

"As the representative of the United States army air service in Great Britain, I take great pleasure in extending to you and your splendid crew heartfelt congratulations on your brilliant achievement."

GREAT RECEPTION PLANNED

By Associated Press Leased Wire
London, Sunday, June 15.—(Delayed.)—The aero club is making plans for a reception and banquet for Captain John Alcock on his arrival in London. When he will reach this city is not known as yet. It is expected that he may participate in the victory aerial derby around London next Saturday and if possible may drive the machine in which he crossed the Atlantic.

DIRIGIBLE HELD UP

By Associated Press Leased Wire
London, Saturday, June 15.—The trial flight of the British dirigible R-34, which will soon attempt to cross the Atlantic had to be abandoned at 2 o'clock this morning owing to a change in the weather. She was ordered to return to the airfield at Haddington and landed successfully at four o'clock.

Took Time to Prepare Work.

The more one reads of the great war the more one must appreciate the fact that Victor Hugo's immortal description of the battle of Waterloo was not written until 1861, or 46 years after it happened, and time had been given for the dust to settle. It was 37 years after Waterloo that Tennyson wrote "Bury the Great Duke With an Empire's Lamentation."

Look for the Large Chance.

The opportunity that is bigger than you are cannot help you, no matter how close it comes. To be worth anything, a chance must fit. Instead of simply waiting for your opportunity, grow up to it. Big people do not need to put up with small openings, and little people find it impossible to fill big ones. If you are growing all the time, and fitting yourself for the larger chances, you need not worry for fear they will fail to present themselves.

The Movie Tariff.

Harold was told to run over and see what the prices were for a special picture showing at the movies that evening. When he came back he said: "It's 11 cents for children and 17 cents for the overgrown."

Shows Smallness of Soul.

The man who cannot forgive a wrong, like a dog oppressed of a brutal master, cannot claim superiority of soul.

REVISED TREATY HANDS TO FOES AT 4 P. M. TODAY

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cials this evening adduced the blunt, positive statement that unless the revised proposals of the entente nations contain most radical modifications in spirit and in letter, Germany would not sign the peace treaty.

While the postponed delivery of the entente reply was looked upon as a favorable omen, although one dangling from the most slender thread, it may be said tonight that the government, so far as it is still represented in Berlin, is not indulging in the luxury of undue illusions as to what the next 48 hours will bring forth.

Alleged modifications in the draft of the treaty, as reported to Berlin through neutral news sources, are rejected in official quarters here as wholly insufficient to warrant the prediction that the government will be inclined to subject them to closer scrutiny.

Cabinet Is United.

Emphasis was also placed on the statement that the cabinet which now is fully represented at Weimar, was absolutely united in its attitude and that there was no prospect of any division which might break up the present government and produce a new ministry. The latter declaration appears to have been prompted by recurring reports that Matthias Erzberger, chairman of the German armistice commission was willing to take over the job of concluding peace.

It was also pointed out that the peace commission of the national assembly, which took an active part in the formulation of the German counter proposals, was solidly backing up the cabinet in its determination to refuse to sign a pact not representing the greatest possible divergence from the original proposals. In view of this alleged solidarity, political onlookers here are unable to figure out how Erzberger can possibly create an unexpectedly new situation, Erzberger has been brushing aside these rumors, disposing of them by referring to the fact that the present coalition government is not only intact but holds an undisputed mandate from the German people and from the national assembly, which is thoroughly representative of a people's will. On the other hand, he has not as yet made an unequivocal denial of the rumor that he is contemplating quitting the cabinet, nor has he definitely declared that he is in complete harmony with the cabinet's peace policies.

Wasting Light.

A lighting expert says that about \$200,000,000 worth of light is wasted every year in this country through failure to keep windows, globes, reflectors and other light sources free from dust and dirt. The lighting bill for the nation is about \$500,000,000, and if this expert is right, we are wasting two-fifths of this.

Subscribe for the Telegraph, the oldest paper in Lee county, now in its 69th year.

LITIGATION IN "JERRY'S" CASE CAME TO AN END

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chelle where he was treated for several months.

Contrary to medical opinion his broken back did not prove immediately fatal, and late in the fall he was removed to the county infirmary, the entire lower part of his body being paralyzed. Under the workmen's compensation act he was entitled to damages, and the insurance company which has underwritten Mr. Egan's men on the contract prepared to make settlement with the victim on a monthly basis. But Jerry refused, and the local authorities were of the belief that if he got his entire damages in a lump sum he would send it back to relatives in Italy, consequently they opposed any such settlement.

Dragged For Many Months.

The matter dragged along month after month, and Jerry became more and more of a care to the infirmary authorities until finally the Board of Supervisors at the March meeting this year acted on the case and instructed State's Attorney Edwards to take any action necessary to settle the matter, secure the payment of the hospital bill at Rochelle and provide something toward the expense of keeping him at the infirmary—for Jerry had no relatives in this country.

But all this litigation came to an end yesterday afternoon when Jerry's long hard fight for life was lost. The funeral will be held tomorrow morning with burial at Oakwood.

INDIGESTION

Caused by

Acid-Stomach

Millions of people—in fact about 9 out of 10—suffer more or less from indigestion, acute or chronic. Nearly every case is caused by Acid-Stomach.

There are other stomach disorders which also are sure signs of Acid-Stomach—belching, heartburn, bloating after eating, food repulsing, sour, gassy stomach. There are many ailments which, while they do not cause much distress in the stomach itself, are nevertheless, traceable to an acid stomach. Among these are nervousness, biliousness, cirrhosis of the liver, rheumatism, impoverished blood, weakness, insomnia, melancholia and a long train of physical and mental miseries that keep the victims in miserable health year after year.

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Sterling's Welcome Home

FRIDAY, JULY 4th

Nothing will be left undone in making this July 4th Whiteside county's greatest day—a fitting testimonial of the appreciation of the people of Whiteside and vicinity of the great work "Our Boys," in all branches of the service, have done. All relatives and friends of the boys within many miles of Sterling will be here to help make this the rousing "Welcome Home" it should be—truly a Red Letter Day in the lives of all who participate in the celebration. Sterling will be in gala array to greet you.

Program Begins at 9 a.m.

Free Street Performances and Band Concerts
Morning, Afternoon and Evening

Big Street Parade at 11:00 a. m.

4 Bands, Dixon, Milledgeville, and 2 Sterling Bands

Splendid Day and Night Fireworks

Afternoon Speaking in Central Park

By Hon. William B. McKinley and Others

Horse Racing at Rock River Driving Park

Base Ball Games, Wrestling, Boxing

Athletic Events, Amusements Galore

Pavement Dancing in the Evening

Turn Out For a Big Day and a "Welcome Home" That Our Boys Have Earned
You'll Miss Half Your Summer's Enjoyment if You Don't Come Early and Stay Late

COME! FRIDAY, JULY 4th! COME!

ATTENTION!

All Formerly in Uncle
Sam's Army or Navy

It is manifestly impossible to reach with a personal invitation all formerly in the service from Whiteside county and vicinity. Hence THIS IS YOUR PERSONAL and SPECIAL INVITATION to come to Sterling July 4th as OUR HONORED GUESTS. Every man and woman from Whiteside and vicinity who wore a uniform in the service of Our Country is urged to be here.

Register at Headquarters in the Armory upon your arrival where tickets for dinner and supper will be given you.

Come in Uniform if Possible
But Come Anyway!

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AMENDING COMMISSION-FORM LAW.

If Senator Carlson's new bill to amend the commission form law goes through, commissioner candidates will specify the city departments they want to handle, instead of waiting to be assigned to departments after they are elected. This should make for fitness of the commissioner for the job, or at least will demonstrate that the candidate believes himself to be more fit for the department he names than for any other. It is likely, also, to increase the number of commissioner candidates, and may result in some men being elected by fewer votes than are received by others who find themselves defeated.

Nevertheless the proposition seems to lessen the chance of a commission finding itself with a square peg trying to fit itself into a round hole. Usually a man knows what he can do best, and the voters should be able to make a reasonably accurate decision as between two or more men running for a stated commissionership.

Perhaps the commission-form law could be strengthened considerably if it should be made to make it imperative that no commissioner, in whatever department, shall be allowed to make important decisions of his own accord, without submitting the matters to a vote of the whole council, and without the whole council going on record in the matter.

NOT EVEN CAPITAL PUNISHMENT.

When Chancellor Scheidemann shrieks that the allied peace treaty aims at the "murder of a nation," he only reminds the world that Germany undertook to murder several nations, and very nearly succeeded with some of them.

A more fitting term for Herr Scheidemann to use would be "capital punishment," a technical name for the legal execution of an assassin.

The allies, though, have not really gone so far as that. They do not propose to take the criminal's life. They merely intend to impose a rather moderate sentence of fine and imprisonment, and letting the guilty nation work it out at hard labor.

The sentence will be indeterminate. The time may be shortened by diligent work and good behavior. It may keep the Germans occupied and unable to devote much attention to their national aspiration for conquest for twenty or thirty years. If it should subdue this aspiration altogether, so much the better for Germany and the world.

Germany stands to get off easy enough. The German empire deserved to be torn to pieces for its monstrous crime. The allies are leaving it with all the strictly German states, out of which the big federation was built, still united. The head, which is Prussia, is still on the shoulders, merely minus an ear as it were; and not one German limb has been lopped off.

THE MONEY-BELT A BAD BANK.

Over in Terre Haute, Ind., a man was in the habit of carrying his life's savings in a money-belt went to work the other morning, having forgotten to put the belt on. The usual thing happened.

Beauty Parlor

Shampoo with hot oil or witch hazel, 75c; plain shampoo...

Manicuring50c

Facial massage, \$1.00 per hour

Facial massage, per half hour50c

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Mrs. A. B. Taylor

DIXON NAT'L BANK BLDG.

EXPLOSION AT FILLING STATION SUNDAY MORNING

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plosion was toward Second street or in the rear of the heating plant.

Not Caused By Oil.

The chief stated that the explosion could not have been caused by any of the oils or greases in or about the building, as exploding oil always scorches or burns surfaces with which it comes in contact. There was absolutely no indication of any scorching anywhere in the building after the ex-

LEGAL PUBLICATIONS.

SPECIAL ASSESSMENT NOTICE. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to all persons interested, that the Council of the City of Dixon, a municipal corporation, in the County of Lee and State of Illinois, has by LOCAL IMPROVEMENT ORDINANCE Number 191, Series of 1919, passed by the Council of said City of Dixon on the 29th day of April, A. D. 1919, and approved by the Mayor of said City on the 29th day of April, A. D. 1919, provided for the furnishing of the labor and materials for, and the construction of vitrified tile pipe sewer for storm water and sanitary purposes with manholes, catch basins and house connection laterals in Jackson Avenue in the City of Dixon, Illinois, from the manhole heretofore constructed at the intersection of Seventh street, southerly to a point Three Hundred and Forty (340) feet south of the center of Ninth Street in said City.

The said manholes are to be constructed along the line of the sewer aforesaid and located as follows: At the center line of Eighth Street; At the center line of Ninth Street; At the southerly terminus of the said sewer.

The said catch basins will be located as follows, to-wit: At the Northeast corner of the intersection of Jackson Avenue and Eighth Street; At the Southeast corner of the intersection of Jackson Avenue and Eighth Street; At the Northwest corner of the intersection of Jackson Avenue and Eighth Street; At the Southwest corner of the intersection of Jackson Avenue and Eighth Street; At the Southwest corner of the intersection of Jackson Avenue and Ninth Street; At the Southwest corner of the intersection of Jackson Avenue and Ninth Street.

That said Ordinance is now on file in the office of the City Clerk of the City of Dixon, Illinois; that application has been made to the County Court of Lee County, Illinois, for an assessment of the cost of said improvement according to benefits, as provided by law and said Ordinance; that an assessment therefor has been made and returned to said court, and that the final hearing thereon will be had before said Court, in the County Court room in the Court House, in the said City of Dixon, County of Lee, State of Illinois, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon on the 7th day of July, A. D. 1919 or as soon thereafter as the business of the court will permit.

All persons desiring may file objections to said assessment in said court, before said time and may appear at said hearing and make defense.

Said assessment is payable in ten (10) annual installments. All installments bear interest at the rate of Five Per Cent (5%) per annum, according to law, until paid.

Dated at Dixon, Illinois, this 6th day of June, A. D. 1919.

Harold F. Sheller, Commissioner. 14015

plosion. The chief further states that the peculiar odor which is always noted after an explosion of any kind of oil was not a characteristic of the mysterious explosion here.

Air Tank is Intact.

When Lee Good, who suffered badly bruised back and hips when he was thrown against the safe, recovered his consciousness, he at once thought the compressed air tank in the basement, which furnishes air for autoists, had exploded; but investigation showed that the tank was as good as the day it was installed. Inasmuch as Mr. Good had been in the cellar twice before the explosion, the second trip being but a short time before the concussion, and had noted no unusual odors, he can offer no explanation which would take into account the usual supplies in the building.

Mysterious Circumstances.

Among the mysterious circumstances attendant the explosion was the finding of a celluloid comb, which had been on a glass shelf in the ladies' lavatory on the main floor of the building, burning on a box in the basement immediately after the accident.

The force of the explosion was felt as far away as the city hall, a distance of two blocks, where some plastering was loosened from the cell room in the jail.

BOLSHEVIKI READY QUIT PETROGRAD

By Associated Press Leased Wire

London, June 16.—Active preparations are being made for the evacuation of Petrograd, it is announced in a wireless dispatch from Moscow received here today.

WHITE GUARDS ADVANCE.

Stockholm, June 16.—White guards have captured the important fort of Krasnaya Zvezda, across the bay of Kronstadt, from the fortress of Kronstadt, the chief seaward defense of Petrograd, according to an official statement issued from Estonian headquarters. It is said that the white guards won their success after the garrison of the fort had mutinied against the bolsheviks.

MAN CHARGES WOMAN WITH ASSAULT AND BATTERY

Mrs. Rose Lechner, residing south of the Northwestern tracks and west of the Pump factory road, was arrested this morning by Sheriff Schoenholz on a warrant sworn out by Charles Klapprott, charging her with assault and battery. The plaintiff claims that the woman assaulted him on Sunday, June 1 and tore his shirt into shreds. The case will be taken up in Justice Grover Gehant's court Friday.

SPANISH WAR VETERANS WILL MEET AT KEWANEE

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Chicago, June 16.—The Illinois convention of United Spanish War Veterans will be held in Kewanee, Ill., June 19-21, according to an announcement made today by Elmer M. Lawson, department commander.

SON BORN.

Sunday morning a nine and one-half pound boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Gallagher, of Lincoln Way. Mother and child are both doing well.

ABE MARTIN



You kin live with any wife by actin' like a boarder. Lot's o' people git credit fer bein' efficient when their only sick.

TELEGRAPHERS GAIN POINT IN DISPUTE

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Service continued on local lines. Officials of the new union said that the strike would be carried out as scheduled.

ORDERS NOT DELIVERED.

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Springfield, Ill., June 16.—"The order calling off the strike set for today evidently has not been communicated to the outlying districts of Los Angeles," said Secretary Charles P. Ford of the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers when informed of the action of linemen and switchboard men in Los Angeles in leaving their work this morning.

APPLIES TO ALL WIRES.

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Atlantic City, N. J., June 16.—Postmaster General Burleson's order granting the right of collective bargaining to electrical and telephone workers, signing of which on Saturday averted a nation-wide strike applies to all other employees under the postoffice department including telegraph operators and postal employees, according to a re-

CITY BRIEFS

Case Continued—Thomas and Michael Drew were arrested this morning by the police on warrants issued from the court of Justice Grover Gehant, charging them with having disturbed the peace. The case was continued until next Monday morning at 9 o'clock.

Baby Daughter Is Dead—Violet Elizabeth, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Forney, of Palmyra, passed away at their home Sunday morning. Funeral services were held at the home yesterday afternoon, with burial at Palmyra cemetery.

Potatoes From Garden—J. E. White, 239 Lincoln Way, reports today that his family enjoyed new potatoes and peas from their garden Sunday.

Miss Anna Schnell, brother Edward, William Mills, of Ashton, Mandle Kersten and Herbert Kersten, of Rochelle, and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Heibenthal, of Ashton, were among those attending the Thursday celebration here.

port made today to the convention of the American Federation of Labor by P. H. McCarthy of San Francisco, chairman of the committee that went to Washington under direction of the convention.

ST. LOUIS TIED UP.

By Associated Press Leased Wire
St. Louis, June 16.—A strike of telephone operators and other electrical workers which went into effect here at 8 a. m. today had completely tied up service of the Kinloch Telephone company and crippled service of the Southwestern Bell company several hours later. No estimate of the number of workers out could be made early in the day.

DENVER WORKERS OUT.

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Denver, Colo., June 16.—In default of receipt of instructions to the contrary, members of the Denver local union of the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers went out on strike this morning, in response to the issue called last week.

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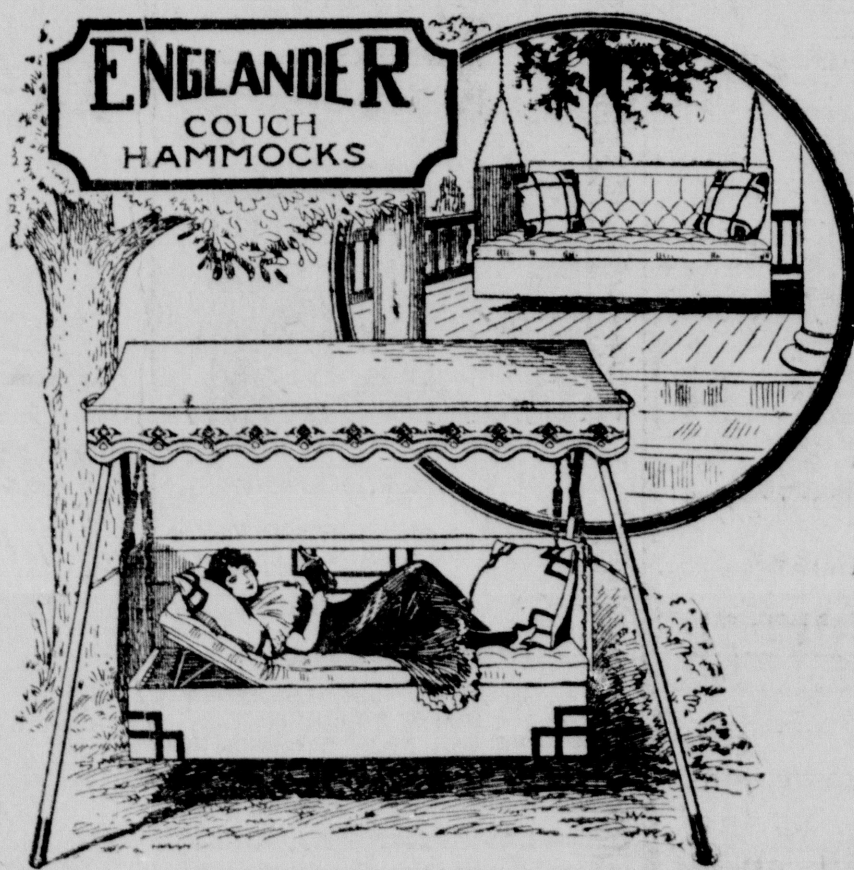
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Cooling porch shades make your entire Home—every room of it, cooler—and after a day's hard work it's the most SATISFACTORY thing to go home to a bit of comfort that's obtainable because you've restful chairs and benches and swings on your porch—sit down—rest—cool off and enjoy HOME.

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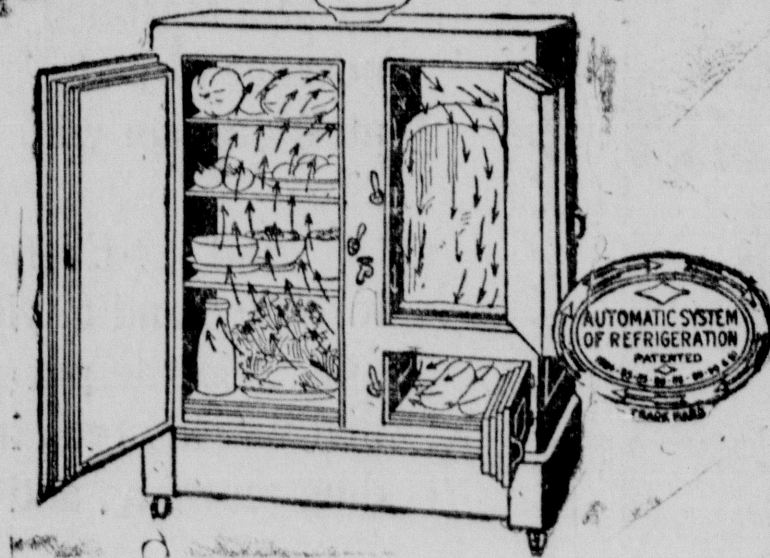
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3600 AMERICANS INFLECT LOSS OF 200 ON MEXICANS

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today and resumed command of the federal troops remaining after American soldiers entered. Upon the occupation of Juarez by the Americans, General Gonzales withdrew in the direction of Samalayuca to prevent any clashes between the American and Mexican government troops because of mistaken identity or purpose.

General Gonzales was assured by Lieutenant Cox, aide-de-camp to General Erwin, that he would be given every consideration.

Federals Resent Help

"This is a matter for my superior officers and for my president to consider," General Gonzales said at Fort Hidalgo. "I am not in position to impose my own views upon the situation, although I did not, and do not yet think, the crossing of the American forces was necessary for the defeat of the Villa forces as my forces defended the town most bravely."

At the fort it was announced that the 70 Villa prisoners had been taken south with Gonzales' column and that eight of the officers of Villa's command made prisoners had been executed. It was also stated by Major Hernandez that the body of Manuel Castro, a Villa general had been found in the trenches east of town.

Villa Lost 200

The number of Villa rebels killed during the engagement was placed at 200 by the federals while 70 were wounded, they said. They said they had no estimate of their own losses.

The American troops, mostly 24th infantrymen, guard the American approaches to the international bridge to-day while diminutive Mexican soldiers stand guard at the Mexican end of the bridge.

Juarez Quiet Today

The Chinese and Mexican refugees who were detained at the United States Immigration station during the night were released and permitted to return to Juarez where everything was quiet. Customs inspection was suspended at the Mexican end of the bridge.

One American officer in command of a colored infantry company told of his experience during the fighting with the rebels last night. He said one band of rebels held up their hands in token of surrender, then opened fire on the Americans at close range. All the rebel band were killed.

U. S. TROOPS VICTORIOUS.

By Associated Press Leased Wire
El Paso, Tex., June 16.—American troops sent into Mexico last night to stop the indiscriminate firing across the border fought their first general engagement with the Mexican rebel forces of Francisco Villa, at the Juarez race track shortly after 2 o'clock this morning, and the Americans were victorious.

Villa's troops were driven from the race track by rifle and machine-gun fire and many prisoners were reported taken by the United States cavalry which took positions east and southeast of the track, according to an official report at military headquarters.

General Fight Sunday.

The Mexican rebels and federal troops fought in the streets of Juarez Saturday night and Sunday night, many on both sides being killed. Many bullets from the rebel guns came across the Rio Grande, and two persons were killed and seven wounded on the American side.

3,600 Troops Cross.

When the Mexican bullets became too thick for the safety of the citizens of El Paso, Brig. Gen. J. B. Erwin, at 11 o'clock last night ordered American troops to cross the border, and in ten minutes after the order was issued 3600 United States soldiers were in Mexico. The first troops to cross the border were the Fourth battalion of the 24th infantry (colored), a battalion of the 82nd artillery, and the Fifth and Seventh cavalry.

After the Mexican federals were allowed to retire into Juarez, Colonel Had-sell's colored infantry opened up with a terrific rifle fire on the trenches flanking the race track. They advanced in open order and succeeded in dislodging the Villa forces who held the strongest positions as the colored troops were forced to advance across a comparatively open plain. The first volleys from the riflemen were answered, shot for shot, by the Villa troops who seemed to realize they were trapped by the cavalry in the rear and the infantry in front.

Machine Guns Open Fire.

American machine guns started sputtering from adobe houses near the race track and the preponderance of rifle fire was soon with the American forces. The preliminary artillery preparation having been completed, the shrapnel guns became silent as the rifles took up the refrain. The explosion of Mauser and American cartridges could be plain-

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ALCOCK AND HIS MARINER FINISH OVERSEA FLIGHT

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rangements were made for mechanics to leave London immediately to make repairs.

Word came from Clifden in the afternoon that the pilot and the navigator of the biplane were leaving for Galway, whence Lieut. Brown planned to travel by train to London, arriving there on Tuesday morning.

Capt. Alcock, however, hoped to be able to fly to London in the machine which made the record flight as soon as it could be repaired. It was planned to have him give an exhibition over London in the machine if possible.

The Aero club received a message from Clifden not long after the trans-Atlantic fliers landed, signed by them, which merely stated that they had completed the flight in sixteen hours and twelve minutes. They requested instructions from the club.

To Confirm Flight

In reply the club telegraphed Capt. Alcock:

"Keep machine intact until observer arrives."

The air ministry stated that certain marks were put on the airplane at Newfoundland which must be officially identified by a member of the royal air force before the flight is declared to have been officially completed. It was said at the ministry that it was probable one of its officials would leave Dublin in an airplane to relieve Alcock and Brown.

It was hardly believed there that the machine could be repaired before several days had passed, and it was thought both the aviators would proceed to England by rail.

Alcock and Brown stood the trip well.

Had No Accident

Their voyage was without accident and without unforeseen incident while on the way, so far as can be learned. It was a straight-away, clean cut flight from America to Ireland.

But the brief and modest description which comes from the airmen at Clifden tells of an adventurous and amazingly hazardous enterprise.

Fog and mists hung over the North Atlantic, and the Vickers-Vimy biplane climbed and dived struggling to extricate itself from the folds of the air-plane's worst enemy.

It rose to 11,000 feet, swooped down almost to the surface of the sea, and at times the two navigators found themselves flying upside down only ten feet above the water.

First Honor Belongs to U. S.

The feat of Alcock and Lieut. Brown won for them the \$50,000 prize offered by the London Daily Mail for the first non-stop flight across the Atlantic. But they were not the first to fly the ocean. That honor belongs to the crew of an American naval plane—the NC-4. This plane started from Newfoundland via the Azores and landed on the shores of Europe at Lisbon May 27.

WELCOMING MACHINE WRECKED

By Associated Press Leased Wire
London, June 15.—(Delayed.)—When the Vickers-Vimy biplane, driven by Captain John Alcock was first sighted

crossing the Irish coast says a dispatch to the Daily Mail from Clifden Galway, an airplane flew out of the Orammore airfield to render assistance. The machine landed near the Vimy but unfortunately was wrecked, owing to the softness of the ground.

Both Flyers Deaf.

When assistance reached the machine the two aviators were helped to the ground and it was found that Lt. Brown was slightly injured on the nose and mouth by the jolt given them when it struck the ground. Both men were deaf and dazed and were unable to walk steadily for some minutes. They quickly recovered, and were escorted to the wireless station in triumph, being given the best hospitality available.

Was Trying Ordeal.

Describing the trip the aviators said they had a very trying ordeal, Captain Alcock saying that the sun came out only once when the biplane had attained a height of 11,000 feet. Only three astronomical observations were possible during the voyage. The altitude of the machine varied from a few feet from the water up to 13,000 feet and the fliers never sighted a single ship.

"I didn't know once during the night whether I was upside down or not," said Captain Alcock. "Once we ascended hurriedly when we saw the green Atlantic only 30 feet below."

Stay Wire Carried Away.

The breaking away of the propeller generating current for the wireless apparatus from communicating with the shore. When it happened, Lt. Brown noticed that the propeller had carried away with it one of the stay wires, but he did not tell Capt. Alcock until after they had landed at Clifden. When Alcock learned of the incident he said: "I would have turned back had I known."

Weather Was Bad.

Weather conditions were very bad during the trip and Lt. Brown had to climb from his seat to clear the ice away from the petrol gauge.

After breakfast today Lt. Brown went to bed, while Capt. Alcock inspected the machine. The lieutenant, however, was unable to sleep and soon got up. By noon, both were looking perfectly well and willingly distributed autographs to admirers. Capt. Alcock wanted to fly to England in a borrowed plane but his companion observed: "I have had enough flying for a bit."

Capt. Alcock exhibited a bunch of rain soaked letters which he had been asked to mail if the flight was successful, saying: "I am the first trans-Atlantic postman."

Went 110 Miles An Hour.

The two aviators said they were only once in real danger, when the machine went into a flat spin, owing to the pilot being unable to tell how the machine was moved. Lt. Brown, noticing that the compass needle was swinging from side to side—the first indication that something was wrong—managed to get Capt. Alcock to understand the difficulty. The machine traveled at a rate of 140 miles an hour at times and the pilot once found himself diving straight toward the surface of the ocean. He was so near the water that he had to "snatch" the machine from its dive so quickly that it almost looped the loop. He says the machine

would have crumpled up had it touched the water at the speed it was then traveling.

The biplane is being guarded by soldiers and it is probable that it will be necessary to dismantle it.

U. S. SENDS CONGRATULATIONS

By Associated Press Leased Wire
London, June 16.—Major Murry of the United States army air service has telegraphed the following message to Captain John Alcock at Clifden, Ireland:

"As the representative of the United States army air service in Great Britain, I take great pleasure in extending to you and your splendid crew heartiest congratulations on your brilliant achievement."

GREAT RECEPTION PLANNED

By Associated Press Leased Wire
London, Sunday, June 15.—(Delayed.)—The aero club is making plans for a reception and banquet for Captain John Alcock on his arrival in London. When he will reach this city is not known as yet. It is expected that he may participate in the victory aerial derby around London next Saturday and if possible may drive the machine in which he crossed the Atlantic.

DIRIGIBLE HELD UP

By Associated Press Leased Wire
London, Saturday, June 15.—The trial flight of the British dirigible R-34, which will soon attempt to cross the Atlantic had to be abandoned at 2 o'clock this morning owing to a change in the weather. She was ordered to return to the airfield at Haddington and landed successfully at four o'clock.

Took Time to Prepare Work.

The more one reads of the great war the more one must appreciate the fact that Victor Hugo's immortal description of the battle of Waterloo was not written until 1861, or 46 years after it happened, and time had been given for the dust to settle. It was 37 years after Waterloo that Tennyson wrote "Bury the Great Duke With an Empire's Lamentation."

Look for the Large Chance.

The opportunity that is bigger than you are cannot help you, no matter how close it comes. To be worth anything, a chance must fit. Instead of simply waiting for your opportunity, grow up to it. Big people do not need to put up with small openings, and little people find it impossible to fill big ones. If you are growing all the time, and fitting yourself for the larger chances, you need not worry for fear they will fail to present themselves.

The Movie Tariff.

Harold was told to run over and see what the prices were for a special picture showing at the movies that evening. When he came back he said: "It's 11 cents for children and 17 cents for the overgrown."

Shows Smallness of Soul.

The man who cannot forgive a wrong, like a dog oppressed of a brutal master, cannot claim superiority of soul.

REVISED TREATY HANDS TO FOES AT 4 P. M. TODAY

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cials this evening adduced the blunt, positive statement that unless the revised proposals of the entente nations contain most radical modifications in spirit and in letter, Germany would not sign the peace treaty.

While the postponed delivery of the entente reply was looked upon as a favorable omen, although one dangling from the most slender thread, it may be said tonight that the government, so far as it is still represented in Berlin, is not indulging in the luxury of undue illusions as to what the next 48 hours will bring forth.

Alleged modifications in the draft of the treaty, as reported to Berlin through neutral news sources, are rejected in official quarters here as wholly insufficient to warrant the prediction that the government will be inclined to subject them to closer scrutiny.

Cabinet Is United.

Emphasis was also placed on the statement that the cabinet which now is fully represented at Weimar, was absolutely united in its attitude and that there was no prospect of any division which might break up the present government and produce a new ministry. The latter declaration appears to have been prompted by recurring reports that Matthias Erzberger, chairman of the German armistice commission was willing to take over the job of concluding peace.

It was also pointed out that the peace commission of the national assembly, which took an active part in the formulation of the German counter proposals was solidly backing up the cabinet in its determination to refuse to sign a pact not representing the greatest possible divergence from the original proposals. In view of this alleged solidarity, political onlookers here are unable to figure out how Erzberger can possibly create an unexpectedly new situation. Erzberger has been brushing aside these rumors, disposing of them by referring to the fact that the present coalition government is not only intact but holds an undisputed mandate from the German people and from the national assembly, which is thoroughly representative of a people's will. On the other hand, he has not as yet made an unequivocal denial of the rumor that he is contemplating quitting the cabinet, nor has he definitely declared that he is in complete harmony with the cabinet's peace policies.

Wasting Light.

A lighting expert says that about \$200,000,000 worth of light is wasted every year in this country through failure to keep windows, globes, reflectors and other light sources free from dust and dirt. The lighting bill for the nation is about \$500,000,000, and if this expert is right, we are wasting two-fifths of this.

Subscribe for the Telegraph, the oldest paper in Lee county, now in its 69th year.

LITIGATION IN "JERRY'S" CASE CAME TO AN END

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chelle where he was treated for several months.

Contrary to medical opinion his broken back did not prove immediately fatal, and late in the fall he was removed to the county infirmary, the entire lower part of his body being paralyzed. Under the workmen's compensation act he was entitled to damages, and the insurance company which has underwritten Mr. Egan's men on the contract prepared to make settlement with the victim on a monthly basis. But Jerry refused, and the local authorities were of the belief that if he got his entire damages in a lump sum he would send it back to relatives in Italy, consequently they opposed any such settlement.

Dragged For Many Months.

The matter dragged along month after month, and Jerry became more and more of a care to the infirmity authorities until finally the Board of Supervisors at the March meeting this year acted on the case and instructed State Attorney Edwards to take any action necessary to settle the matter, secure the payment of the hospital bill at Rochelle and provide something toward the expense of keeping him at the infirmary—for Jerry had no relatives in this country.

But all this litigation came to an end yesterday afternoon when Jerry's long hard fight for life was lost. The funeral will be held tomorrow morning with burial at Oakwood.

INDIGESTION Caused by Acid-Stomach

Millions of people—in fact about 9 out of 10—suffer more or less from indigestion, acute or chronic. Nearly every case is caused by Acid-Stomach.

There are other stomach disorders which also are sure signs of Acid-Stomach—belching, heartburn, bloating after eating, food repelling, sour, gassy stomach. There are many ailments which, while they do not cause much distress in the stomach itself, are nevertheless, traceable to an acid stomach. Among these are nervousness, biliousness, cirrhosis of the liver, rheumatism, impoverished blood, weakness, insomnia, melancholia and a long train of physical and mental miseries that keep the victims in miserable health year after year.

The right thing to do is to attack these ailments at their source—get rid of the acid-stomach. A wonderful modern remedy called EATONIC now makes it easy to do this.

One of hundreds of thousands of grateful users of EATONIC writes: "I have been troubled with intestinal indigestion for about nine years and have spent quite a sum for medicine, but without relief. After using EATONIC for a few days the gas and pain in my bowels disappeared. EATONIC is just the remedy I needed."

We have thousands of letters telling of these marvelous benefits. Try EATONIC and you, too, will be just as enthusiastic in its praise. Your druggist has EATONIC. Get a big box from him today. He will refund your money if you are not satisfied.

EATONIC

(FOR YOUR ACID-STOMACH)

Everybody is Invited to the GREATEST CELEBRATION Every Held in Northern Illinois
In Honor of all Soldiers, Sailors, Marines and Others in the U. S. Service During the Great War

Sterling's Welcome Home

FRIDAY, JULY 4th

Nothing will be left undone in making this July 4th Whiteside county's greatest day—a fitting testimonial of the appreciation of the people of Whiteside and vicinity of the great work "Our Boys," in all branches of the service, have done. All relatives and friends of the boys within many miles of Sterling will be here to help make this the rousing "Welcome Home" it should be—truly a Red Letter Day in the lives of all who participate in the celebration. Sterling will be in gala array to greet you.

Program Begins at 9 a.m.

Free Street Performances and Band Concerts
Morning, Afternoon and Evening

Big Street Parade at 11:00 a. m.

4 Bands, Dixon, Milledgeville, and 2 Sterling Bands

Splendid Day and Night Fireworks

Afternoon Speaking in Central Park

By Hon. William B. McKinley and Others

Horse Racing at Rock River Driving Park

Base Ball Games, Wrestling, Boxing

Athletic Events, Amusements Galore

Pavement Dancing in the Evening

Turn Out For a Big Day and a "Welcome Home" That Our Boys Have Earned
You'll Miss Half Your Summer's Enjoyment if You Don't Come Early and Stay Late

COME! FRIDAY, JULY 4th! COME!

ATTENTION!

All Formerly in Uncle
Sam's Army or Navy

It is manifestly impossible to reach with a personal invitation all formerly in the service from Whiteside county and vicinity. Hence THIS IS YOUR PERSONAL and SPECIAL INVITATION to come to Sterling July 4th as OUR HONORED GUESTS. Every man and woman from Whiteside and vicinity who wore a uniform in the service of Our Country is urged to be here.

Register at Headquarters in the Armory upon your arrival where tickets for dinner and supper will be given you.

Come in Uniform if Possible
But Come Anyway!

REDUCED FARE ADDS INTEREST

Visitors to Methodist Centenary
to Be Well Cared For.

REGISTRATIONS ON INCREASE

Housing Committee of the Celebration
Have More Than Forty Thousand
Rooms in Private Homes at Their
Disposal, Where Those Who Attend
Can Be Lodged as Conveniently as
at a Hotel.

Announcement by the government
that a special low rate of one and a
third fares for the round trip has
been authorized for the celebration,
Columbus, O., June 20 to July 13, has
tremendously increased the interest
in that event and advanced manifold
the inquiries and registrations com-
ing from all parts of the United
States. At headquarters the other
day a single mail brought cash reg-
istrations from 14 separate states and
South America.

The low rate has increased work
for the special committees, which
are responsible for housing the large
influx of visitors now seen to be cer-
tain. Accommodations fall into three
classes:

First, the hotels, which have an
average daily capacity of 5,000 vis-
itors.

The second field of accommodation
will be in public buildings, which have
been specially fitted up for this sort
of service for the celebration. These
include the State School for the Blind,
the State School for the Deaf, the
large barracks which were provided
at Ohio State university for the stu-
dent army training corps, and other
buildings of a similar nature held in
reserve should the throng exceed
even present generous expectations.

The third line of convenience for
the hospitality of Columbus is in the
homes of the citizens themselves.
More than 40,000 rooms have been
listed with the housing committee,
and these are card indexed by loca-
tion, telephone number and best
means of access. Visitors to the Ce-
lebration can be lodged as conveni-
ently as a clerk at a hotel assigns a
visitor to his room. In order that
there might be no misunderstanding,
the committee in charge has a uni-
form rate for accommodations in pri-
vate dwellings. The charge will be
\$1 per day for a single person in a
room and \$1.50 per day for two per-
sons in a room.

Always generously provided with
restaurants, Columbus at the present
time is having its number largely re-
inforced by reason of many places be-
ing turned into restaurants which
were occupied as cafes before May
24, when the state became dry. In
addition to these, extraordinary facil-
ities for feeding large numbers quick-
ly are being installed in the exposi-
tion grounds.

MONSTER SCREEN AT METHODIST CENTENARY

Special Lantern Devised For
Throwing Pictures.

Finishing details are being placed
on the arrangements for the erection
of the largest screen for the projec-
tion of pictures ever built in the
world. This is to be one of the fea-
tures of the Methodist Centenary Ce-
lebration, to be held in Columbus,
June 20 to July 13.

This monster screen will have a
surface for pictures 115x115 feet. The
actual structure will be several feet
larger in each direction. A special
lantern has been successfully devised
for throwing these tremendous pic-
tures the necessary distance. The
screen will be 250 feet from the near-
est spectator and will be built to
withstand 40 pounds pressure to the
square foot. The lantern which will
project these pictures has already
successfully thrown pictures on a
screen in New York City across a
distance of four and a half city
blocks. According to Architect Harry
C. Holbrook, the screen will be, in
effect, three sides of a house. It is
necessary to give it the foundations
equivalent to a four-story building.

In order that there may be as much
salvage as possible after the screen
has served its purpose, the picture
face will be of fitted lumber, which
later will be treated with a white
surface preparation.

The estimated cost of this screen
will be \$3,000. The screen and the
lantern will be used in showing the
tens of thousands of views, made all
over the world by the Methodist
Missionary Survey, which has the
finest collection of pictorial reviews
anywhere in the world.

Didn't Lose Any Time.

Ruth was left to watch baby brother
in his bed while mother prepared din-
ner. In a few minutes followed a
thump and then a wall. Running up-
stairs mother said, "I thought I left
you to take care of brother?" "Well,
mother, I did call you the very min-
ute he hit the floor," was the com-
forting response.

World's Greatest Force.

It's mother's love in the apple
dumplings that gives them an irre-
sistible flavor.—Toledo Blade.

One of the Interesting Exhibits Shown at the Methodist Centenary Celebration



To prove that his soul is above worldly troubles and physical pain, this
Hindu fakir nonchalantly reclines on a bed of spikes, much to the
amazement of less spiritual observers. The bed of spikes will be one of the
interesting exhibits shown at the Methodist Centenary Celebration, in Co-
lumbus, O., June 20 to July 13. Whether a fakir, Hindu or otherwise, can
be found to demonstrate his power of endurance on it is still an unsettled
question with celebration officials.

To Play Great Organ at the Methodist Centenary



MRS. MONTGOMERY LYNCH of
Seattle will play the great \$50,-
000 organ in the presentation of "The
Wayfarer," the magnificent pageant
of the Methodist Centenary Celebra-
tion, in Columbus, O., June 20 to July
13. Montgomery Lynch, her husband,
will direct the chorus of 1,000 voices,
which is a part of the pageant.

CASUALTY REPORT.

Washington, D. C., June 16.—The fol-
lowing casualties are reported by the
commanding general of the American
Expeditionary Forces:
Killed in action—2.
Died of wounds—2.
Died of accident and other causes—
23.
Died of disease—13.
Wounded severely—78.
Wounded (degree undetermined)—166.
Wounded slightly—316.
Missing in action—7.
Total—608.
Total number of casualties to date,
including those reported above:
Killed in action (including 381 at sea)
—33,384.
Died of wounds—13,541.
Died of disease—23,292.
Died of accident and other causes—
4,676.
Wounded in action (over 85 per cent
returned to duty)—208,691.
Missing in action (not including pris-
oners released and returned)—2,774.
Total to date—286,358.

Strange but True.

You can't find any molasses that
tastes like maple sirup, but you can
find a lot of maple sirup that tastes
like molasses.—Buffalo Enquirer.

To Patch Shoes.

When a shoe becomes scarred or
a piece is scuffed up from walking on
rough ground, apply fresh mucilage
and press down firmly with finger.
After polishing you can't discover the
rent.

ON THE DIAMOND

AMERICAN LEAGUE

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Chicago	28	15	.651
New York	25	14	.641
Cleveland	26	16	.612
St. Louis	22	20	.524
Boston	18	20	.474
Detroit	20	22	.476
Washington	15	26	.366
Philadelphia	9	30	.231

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

Detroit 8; Washington.
St. Louis 1; New York 0.
No other games scheduled.

GAMES TODAY

St. Louis at New York.
Detroit at Washington.
Chicago at Philadelphia.
Cleveland at Boston.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	Won	Lost	Pct.
New York	29	13	.690
Cincinnati	27	18	.604
Chicago	24	20	.545
Brooklyn	21	25	.457
St. Louis	20	24	.444
Philadelphia	15	24	.385
Boston	14	28	.333

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

New York 5; Chicago 4; (10 innings)
Brooklyn 3; St. Louis 2.
Boston Cincinnati game stopped by
rain, fourth inning.

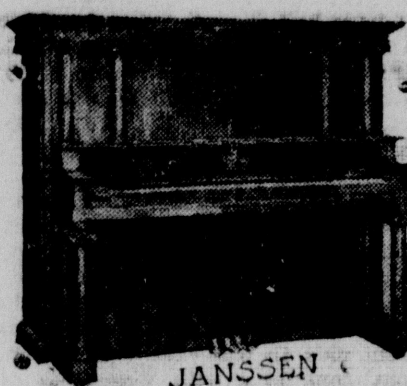
GAMES TODAY

New York at Chicago.
Boston at Cincinnati.
Brooklyn at St. Louis.
Philadelphia at Pittsburgh.

Right Sequence.

A Denver doctor says that taking a
sip of lemon juice before a kiss will
render the germs harmless. First the
lemon, then the sugar, eh?—Boston
Transcript.

Engraved calling cards. B. F. Shaw
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If you paid us \$1,000 we could
not sell you a better Piano
than the Janssen. We could
get you a fancy case and stick
on a lot of knick-knacks but
we could not get you a better
Piano. Don't let anyone bam-
boozle you. Use your own
good common sense when you
buy a Piano.

If you DO you will buy a
JANSSEN.

Columbia Professor in Charge of Exhibits at Methodist Centenary



PROFESSOR LA MONT A. WAR-
NER of Columbia university is
director of fine arts and designer of
exhibits and scenery for the Meth-
odist Centenary Celebration, in Co-
lumbus, O., June 20 to July 13. On
plans which he laid down, the multi-
tude of exhibits, domestic and fore-
ign, have been arranged in the build-
ings in scenic effects, making them
at once appropriate and effective.
Professor Warner had charge of
world exhibits held in Boston, Chi-
cago, Baltimore and Providence in
past years, and has studied and
ed abroad.

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The ability to be dependable gath-
ers up all the flowers of virtue in the
human soul and brings their essence
into daily use. It turns the watch-
dog into a spiritual companion, and
paints the most humble heart with
lines of beauty.

Sound-Proof Council Room.
The apartment at 10 Downing street,
where the meetings of the British cab-
inet are held, is a solid and plainly
furnished room, 15 feet long and 20
feet wide, fitted with double doors,
through which no sound can reach the
keenest listening ears.

Undergarments for STOUTS

That are realizations of the lifetime dreams of fully
developed women.

Mildred Stout undergarments, Sveltline
System, are results of suc-
cessful specialization. Expert designers and trained
people devote their entire time to producing garments
that actually fit. These are proper foundations for
outer wearing apparel that will give neat, correct nat-
ural lines, and will hold their intended shape and give
additional wear because they are reinforced where
strain is greatest.

"Mildred Stouts" are
produced under the
most favorable condi-
tions in a unit of the
great Sveltline System
of the Associated Stout-
Wear Makers.



Concentration has de-
veloped for each unit
the most perfect fitting
comfortable, satisfac-
tory garments.

"Every seam is reinforced where strain is greatest, as-
suring greater wear and service."

The "Mildred Stout" undergarments are made espe-
cially for "Stout Women." They are not merely extra
size, but each style garment has had special attention
and the patterns drafted especially to meet every re-
quirement of a large woman, and still retain the slen-
der lines, individuality and poise.

The Mildred Stout Undergarment Special Fea-
tures are:

1. Reinforced by extra shield around armhole.
2. Adjustable button band, eliminating draw-
string.
3. Fitted back without gathers or darts.
4. Curved button back, eliminating gapping.
5. Reinforced between legs where wear is great-
est.
6. Inside arm seam reinforced with extra tape.

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Bloomers, Plain Chemise

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You may not want to buy anything today.

But tomorrow you may.

And you will want to know where to go to
get the most for your money, and approxi-
mately the price you will have to pay.

Read the advertisements.

Read them to know what's what in the shop-
ping district.

Read them to save steps--to save money--to
save disappointment.

Read them because they set before your eyes
the current history of business progress.

Read them to keep informed.

Read them--regularly.

OPPORTUNITY

Into every man's life, at
some time or other, comes
a big opportunity.

The successful man today, is the
man who was ready when his oppor-
tunity came—the man who had the
money laid aside with which to take
advantage of the opportunity.

Suppose your opportunity should
come today? Would you be able to
take advantage of it? If not you
are acting in a way that is unfair to
you and your dependents.

Start a Savings Account today at
this bank and then when Opportu-
nity knocks at your door you'll be able
to open it and let her in. We pay 3
per cent interest and your deposits
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sources.

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(5c for each additional word)	
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Reading Notices, per line10
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WANTED—We are paying highest prices for all kinds of junk, odds, wool, and old automobiles. Get our prices before you sell. We call for prompt and guaranteed satisfaction. **Shaw & Wienman, Phone 81, River St.**

WANTED—One or two modern furnished down stairs rooms for light housekeeping, by middle aged couple. Call at 214 W. 5th St. Phone Y454. 13713*

WANTED—Advertisers in this column to know that the money must accompany the ad—we do not make a charge account of classified ads. 13713*

WANTED—Those who need engraved cards and already have their plate to bring same to us for a renewal of cards. **B. F. Shaw Ptg. Co.**

WANTED—Cattle to pasture. Amos Frey, Green Rock Farm, Dixon, Ill. R. 3, Grand Detour Phone. 13716*

WANTED—Washings to do at my home, 103 Galena Ave. Tel. K745. Will call for and deliver same. 13616*

HELP WANTED

WANTED—WE ARE STILL NEEDING TWENTY TO TWENTY-FIVE GIRLS IN STITCHING ROOM TO INCREASE OUR PRODUCTION. GIRLS OUT OF SCHOOL WILL FIND EXCELLENT OPPORTUNITIES TO LEARN SHOE FITTING. CLEAN STEADY WORK. GOOD PAY WHILE LEARNING. ALSO VAMPERS, TOP STITCHERS, AND FOLDERS WANTED. **BROWN SHOE CO.**

WANTED—A laundryman at the Moline Public Hospital. Must be neat and willing worker. No drinking man need apply. Give references. \$30.00 per month with room and board. Address Mrs. E. B. Martin, Moline Public Hospital, Moline, Ill. 13716*

CENSUS CLERKS. 4000 needed. \$92 month. Age, 18 upward. Experience unnecessary. For free particulars of examination, write Raymond Terry (former Government Examiner) 337 Continental Bldg., Washington. 128114*

WANTED—Man in shop to shoe horses and do general repairing on farm implements and wagons. Good wages year around. Apply J. K. Garlick, Scarborough, Ill. 136112*

WANTED—Girls: steady employment, good working conditions and good wages. Apply at once. **Borden's Condensed Milk Co.** 26711*

WANTED—Colored salesman. Marvelous new health, accident insurance. Big opportunity. Free outfit. Box 351, Chicago. 13812*

WANTED—Cook. Salary \$15.00 per week, and maintenance. Dixon hospital. 13913

WANTED—Washings to do at my home. Mrs. Georgia Dunham, 418 E. Third St. 13616*

WANTED—Men. Good wages and steady employment. Borden's Condensed Milk company. 13416*

WANTED—Cook at Dixon hospital. 12911*

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—We have ranges, heating stoves, beds of all kinds, mattresses and furniture of all descriptions. The Exchange, E. N. Trautman, 723 Depot Ave., Phone 557. 7311*

FOR SALE—White paper for pantry shelves. Do not use old newspapers when you can buy fresh white paper for 1 cent a sheet at the Evening Telegraph job department. 11*

FOR SALE—200 acres 2 miles to Ash-ton. Good roads. Good soil. Fair improvements. Bargain if sold this month. Liberal terms. **Fred C. Gross, Franklin Grove, Ill.** 129112

FOR SALE—By all Dixon druggists. Heale's wonderful foot powder. Sold by all the large houses throughout the country. Try a box now. Price 25c.

FOR SALE—Graduates wishing cards to enclose with their invitations may have them printed or engraved by the **B. F. Shaw Printing Co.**

FOR SALE—Birth announcement cards and envelopes, in white with dainty blue border. Call and see samples. **B. F. Shaw Ptg. Co.** 11*

FOR SALE—White paper for pantry shelves and bureau drawers, 1c a sheet. Put up in 10, 15, 25, 50 and 75c rolls. **B. F. Shaw Ptg. Co.**

FOR SALE—Iron bed and springs, in good condition. Call 264 Dixon Ave. or phone X414. 13713*

FOR SALE—Kitchen cabinet without top, leather couch, leather baby sulky with top. Telephone Y904. 13813

FOR SALE—White paper for the picnic supper table, 1c a sheet at this office. Saves table linen and laundry work.

FOR SALE—Nurses' Record Sheets for sale at the Evening Telegraph office Job Department. 11*

FOR SALE—Large blotters in blue or gray, for ladies' desks. **B. F. Shaw Ptg. Co.**

FOR SALE—When you need a renewal of engraved calling cards bring your plate to the **B. F. Shaw Ptg. Co.**

FOR SALE—Ten room house at 409 East Everett St. Inquire of owner, Mrs. S. G. Austin. 13416*

FOR SALE—Soda fountain. Call Y-29, Harmon, Ill. 13713

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Improved 160 acre farm in East Grove township. No encumbrance and will sell at reasonable price and on liberal terms. **W. S. McCloy, Sterling, Ill.** owner and exclusive sales agent for Lee and Whiteside Co. farms. 13816*

FOR SALE—One John Deere two-row surface corn cultivator, used one season. Also one six-foot McCormick grain binder in good running order. **Frank Buchman, Franklin Grove, Ill.** 13816*

FOR SALE—A bay horse, weight 1290, work single or double. Also good driver, price reasonable. Baby chicks 13c each. Call Tel. 44309. 13813*

FOR SALE—Five passenger Buick with new tires and battery, in A-1 condition. Price \$450. **G. F. Messer, 911 West First St. Phone Y232.** 13816*

FOR SALE—A LARGE SOFT COAL HEATING STOVE. GOOD HEATER. ENQUIRE AT THIS OFFICE FOR FURTHER INFORMATION.

FOR SALE—All kinds of job printing, such as letter heads, bill heads, envelopes, tags, sale bills, etc., at the Evening Telegraph job plant. Tel. No. 5 for prices. 11*

FOR SALE—Chickering Bros' piano, used very little. In perfect condition. **Mrs. Eustace Shaw, Bluff Park. Telephone 392.** 12911

FOR SALE—Galvanized steel tank 3x 2x8 ft. Suitable for stock. Excellent condition. **Dixon Country Club, Call Lewis Pitcher. Tel. No. 13.** 13813

FOR SALE—Spring pigs. **Amos Frey, Green Rock Farm, Dixon, Ill. R. 3, Grand Detour Phone.** 13716*

FOR SALE—Big soft coal heater for work shop. Come quick. The Evening Telegraph.

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FOR SALE AND FOR RENT CARDS for sale at this office. 11*

FOR RENT

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FOR RENT—One house of six rooms and a seven room house. Telephone X467. **George F. Prescott.** 13713

FOUND

FOUND—Bunch of keys on ring on Third St. Owner may have same by calling at this office and paying for ad. 13613

LOST

LOST—Storage battery between Dixon and Grand Detour last evening. Finder please notify Albert Tholen, Greenwood, Ill. R. 2, Grand Detour phone. 13813*

LOST—Cameo pin, cameo, oval set in square pin, somewhere in upper part of Lowell park yesterday. Reward of \$5.00 for return to this office. 13813

LOST—Card case containing North-western pass and Masonic identification card. Reward if returned to J. H. Hensel or this office. 13813

LOST—Wallet with sum of money and at least two checks made payable to David Smith. Call X1906. Reward. 13913

LOST—Key in white envelope, with name on outside. Finder please leave at this office. 13813*

LOST—Bunch of keys on ring with chain. Reward if returned to Buzard & Atkinson Garage. 13813

LEGAL PUBLICATION.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE
Estate of Henry Rector, Deceased.
The undersigned, having been appointed Administrator of the Estate of Henry Rector, Deceased, hereby gives notice that she will appear before the County Court of Lee County at the County House in Dixon, at the August Term, on the first Monday in August next, at which time all persons having claims against said Estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted.
All persons indebted to said Estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.
Dated this 31st day of May A. D. 1919
NANCY I. RECTOR
June 2-9-16. Administrator

NOTICE.

Pay your carrier boy for the Telegraph each week if you wish to continue receiving the evening paper.

ROBERT H. SCOTT,
Lawyer
Former County Judge,
General Law Practice, Trials, Wills, Estates.
Phone, Office Y681, House K105.

POLO.

Mrs. Henry Travis entertained the Utopian Club at her home Thursday.

John Wilson, Jr., and lady friend of Dixon, spent Thursday here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Wilson Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Niman motored to Freeport Wednesday.

Mrs. William Unger, of Dixon, came Wednesday to visit her son, Harold Unger, and family.

Frank Albright, of Chicago, came Wednesday on business and will return home Friday.

Mrs. Clinton Leber and son Max went to Freeport Wednesday for the day.

Miss Nellie Butts, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Walter Maxie, in Chicago for some time, returned home Thursday morning.

Mrs. Charles Brown went to Freeport Thursday to consult his physician at that place.

Harold Albright was a recent visitor in Dixon.

Miss Mary Tice spent Wednesday afternoon with relatives.

Garrett Doty had the misfortune to get two of his fingers on his right hand cut in a buzz saw while helping to operate on Thursday morning at the home of Jay Knapp.

Miss Warren Roberts has been quite ill the past week. She was threatened with appendicitis.

Glenn Easterbrook, of Joliet, is visiting his brother-in-law, Clarence Bentley, and family.

Isaac Paul was a Rockford visitor Wednesday of this week.

Harry Adden went to Freeport Wednesday of this week.

Miss Maggie Gilbert, who teaches the Moore school, will hold a basket social Friday night.

Homier Mulnix has sold his farm to Mr. Stitzel, of Dixon.

Lucy Brockwell, the young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Brockwell, well from the horse she was riding and broke one of her arms near the wrist.

Harry Lowman and L. Fulbright, of LaHar, are in Polo Thursday on business.

Jack Bracken and John Bogardus motored to Rockford Thursday.

Pedro Summers, who has been in service in France, received a discharge and returned home Saturday.

William Engle, the fourteen year old son of Mr. and Mrs. William Engle Sr., living near Waukegan, went bathing in a stream of water in the pasture field of Daniel Prindaville Wednesday afternoon and got in an eight foot hole and was drowned.

The bereaved family has the sympathy of the community.

Miss Emma Smith and Mrs. Frank H. Wilson entertained their Sunday school class at the home of the former Tuesday afternoon. After a meeting refreshments were served.

Benjamin Niehan who attended the funeral of Mrs. D. J. Isham, Sunday, returned to his home in Chicago Sunday evening.

Mrs. Nettie O'Kane purchased a barn from John Ocker and is having it moved on her farm west of Polo.

Isaac Kimble went to a hospital in Freeport where he will take treatment for rheumatism. Some of those from Polo who attended the Grand Encampment of the Illinois G. A. R. and W. R. C. at Rockford, held Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday, of this week, were: Mr. and Mrs. William Shafer.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred McMillen, Mr. and Mrs. William Risner, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. David Stevens, Benjamin Coffman, John Wassner, James Reed, Mrs. Thomas Bracken, Mrs. Lawrence Pyfer, Mrs. Alvis Buck, Julia Bracken, Mrs. Alfred Reimert, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. John Curley, and Mrs. Maria Klock.

STEWARD

Mr. and Mrs. U. S. Shearer and son were in Dixon Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Giffith is visiting in Joliet with friends.

Miss Laura Jarboe returned to her home in DeKalb Tuesday after spending a few days here with friends.

Mrs. Bridget Minnehan, of Dixon, has returned to her home after spending several weeks here with her daughter, Mrs. William Daum.

Mrs. Lawrence Parker, of Rockford, has returned home after spending Sunday here with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Emory Thorpe and daughter Frances Richardson and Miss Bess Buckman were Rockford visitors Wednesday.

Miss Lizzie Hochstrasser and family are spending two weeks in the country.

Miss Dorothy Barnett returned home Wednesday evening from a visit in and near Mendota.

The ladies of the Woman's Foreign Missionary society were entertained on Thursday afternoon at the country home of Mrs. Joseph Andesh.

Clayton Coon returned to Fort Sheridan, Ill. Wednesday evening after spending five days here with his parents.

Lester Beitel and wife were in Byron last Sunday spending the day.

Charles Olson has returned to Fort Sheridan after a five days leave of absence.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Phillips, of Dixon, were visitors here the first of the week at the home of Miss Marcella Lazarus.

Dr. J. M. Durin is visiting his family in Chicago.

Miss Sadie Parker went to Rockford Friday evening for a visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. George Morgan.

Thomas Kirby went to Chicago Wednesday morning to consult and take treatment for a cancerous growth on his lip.

The ladies' Sunday school class, of which Mrs. Morris Cook was a member, gave her and her husband a farewell reception at the church Tuesday evening. Ice cream and cake were served. They will soon make Dixon their home.

ODDS AND ENDS

MOLINE—The Moline Plow company will build a new foundry in East Moline which will cost \$250,000. One hundred acres of land has been acquired, and a contract has been let for construction work to Henry W. Horst Co.

ROCK ISLAND—Telephone rates in

FOR SALE

Houses that mean money to the buyer. I have them and want you to see what a little money will do.

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OATS

FARMERS ATTENTION

If you have white or yellow oats that will grade three, and can deliver within ten days, call phone 84 or 53. It will pay you to get our prices.

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PUBLIC SALE---80 HOLSTEINS

STERLING, ILL., JUNE 19th, 1919

Sale will be held at our new Sale Pavilion, just east of Sterling, on the Lincoln Highway.

MORE WORLD'S CHAMPIONSHIP BREEDING THAN WAS EVER OFFERED.

FIVE 35-LBS. COWS **FIFTEEN FEMALES** bred to KING OF THE RAG APPLES, son of the present World's Champion Junior three-year-old SUPERBA PALMYRA. Record for 7 days—butter 39.23 lbs. Females bred to or sired by KING ALCARTRA DEKOL PONTIAC, son of the former World's Champion three-year-old LADY TOBE DEKOL—record for 7 days, butter 37.59 lbs.

Several choice bulls, including a son of PONTIAC KORNDYKE who has two 40-lb. daughters, four 40-lb. granddaughters and four 40-lb. great granddaughters. Pontiac Korndyke is considered by many people as the greatest transmitting sire that ever lived. This is an unusual opportunity to buy a son by this great bull at your own price.

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Some of the cows and heifers are recently fresh, others soon will be.

QUALITY—BREEDING—INDIVIDUALITY

The blood lines of cattle offered represent practically all of the greatest sires of the breed through some of their best sons and grandsons, in fact, an unusually choice lot of cattle containing more animals with high records and outstanding breeding than have ever gone through a sale ring in Northern Illinois. Make your plans to attend this great sale. Catalogues sent free on application. For further information address

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Sale begins at 10 o'clock a. m. promptly

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and exchange service for farmers of the country.

POLO—Creditors of the Barber interests have received their final dividend of 22 1/2 per cent, making a total of 72 1/2 per cent that the bank will pay. This is a better showing than any other bank in the state which has failed. It is said that an extra 5 per cent to the creditors of the bank will be available from proceeds of the estate of Bryant Barber.

ROCK ISLAND—The Iowa district of the German Evangelical synod of North America in session here approved the recommendation of the president, Dr. John Baltzar of St. Louis, that the name of the church be changed to the Evangelical church in America, dropping the German.

COALM VALLEY—Consolidation of three rural schools surrounding this place has been suggested to solve the financial problem which confronts them all. A new school building is contemplated.

ROCKFORD—The merger of the Sclipse Gas Stove Co., Trahern Pump

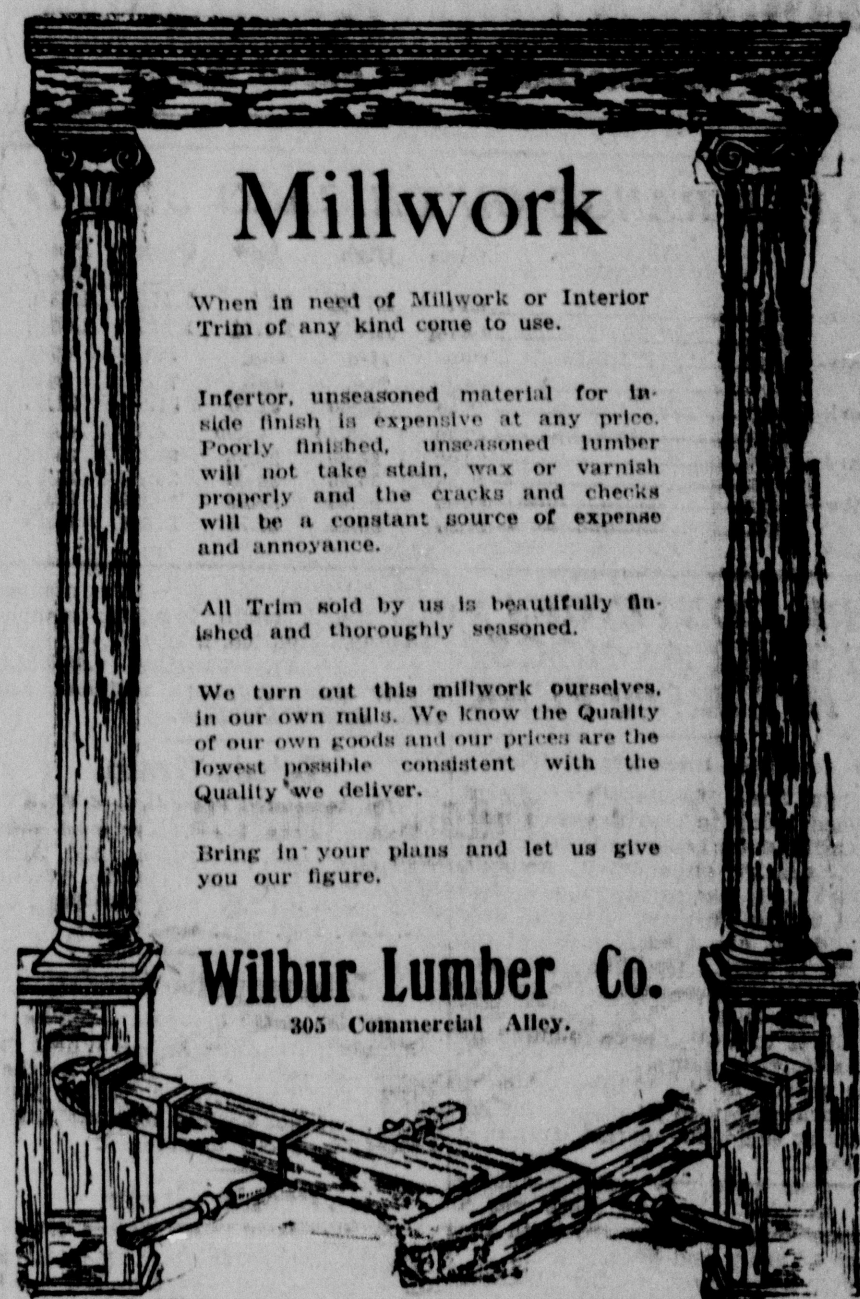
Co., American Foundry Co., and the Rockford Vitreous Enamel Manufacturing company, and the purchase of 75 acres of land as a site for a model factory district for the combined concerns, is announced by George D. Roper who heads the merger.

PRINCETON—That a considerable saving has been made in feeding county prisoners since the dieting system was placed into operation is shown by a report to the supervisors. The new system costs the county 60 cents a day per prisoner.

LA SALLE—The Peru Playhouse has been purchased by Mrs. A. Drum of Moline, proprietor of the American theater there. The name of the Peru will be changed to the Riviera.

Bede Cottage Sold.

Bede cottage, the scene of George Eliot's novel and the original home of "Adam Bede," situated on Roston common, Derbyshire, was recently sold by auction for \$2,675. The cottage still has the building attached which formed the workshop of Adam and Seth Bede.



Millwork

When in need of Millwork or Interior Trim of any kind come to us.

Interior, unseasoned material for inside finish is expensive at any price. Poorly finished, unseasoned lumber will not take stain, wax or varnish properly and the cracks and checks will be a constant source of expense and annoyance.

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Thus at all times is there an ample supply for every five gallon buyer and every five thousand gallon buyer with no embarrassing demands from outside to drain the supply and force an increase in price.

It is by this husbandry that the Company is able to keep down the price of gasoline that you may run your car for the enjoyment of your family or the furtherance of your business without great expense for fuel.

You may not know that gasoline sells in this market for about one-half or one-third the price charged in Europe even under normal pre-war conditions.

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NOTICE TO PUBLIC
Lincoln Highway between Dixon and Sterling will be closed for season on account of building new roads.
C. E. HEATS.
General Contractor, Moline, Ill. 13816

House Passes Naval Bill After Big Cuts

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Washington, D. C., June 16.—With authorization for a new three-year building program eliminated and the fund for naval aviation reduced to \$15,000,000, the 1920 naval appropriation bill was passed today by the house and sent to the senate. The measure carries approximately \$600,000,000 and was passed in virtually the form it came from the naval committee.

Roy Jeter and family of Ashton are in Dixon today calling on friends.

Today's Market Report

(By Associated Press Leased Wire)

DAY'S RANGE ON CHICAGO BOARD

	Open	High	Low	Close	Prev. Close
Corn—July	1.74	1.77 1/4	1.74	1.75 1/4	1.75 1/4
Sept.	1.67 1/4	1.70 1/4	1.67 1/4	1.70 1/4	1.66 1/4
Oats—July	.69 1/4	.71 1/4	.69 1/4	.71 1/4	.69 1/4
Sept.	.68 1/4	.71 1/4	.68 1/4	.71 1/4	.68 1/4
Pork—July	52.00	52.00	51.10	51.35	51.75
Sept.	49.20	49.70	48.90	4.35	40.50
Lard—July	36.00	36.00	35.55	35.60	35.50
Sept.	35.35	35.35	34.65	34.75	34.85
Ribs—July	28.25	28.25	27.90	28.00	28.30
Sept.	27.90	28.10	27.75	27.95	28.12

CORN CONTINUES HIGHER AS HOGS HIT \$21.60 PEAK

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All deliveries rose to the highest point yet this season. Offerings were light. The market closed strong, 3c to 4 1/2c net higher, with July 1.76 1/4 to 1.77 and Sept. 1.70 1/4 to 1.70 3/4.

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Bethlehem Steel "B" (ex div) 82 1/2
Central Leather 96
Chesapeake & Ohio 63
Chicago Mil. & St. Paul 40 1/4
Corn Products 62 1/4
Cruicible Steel 87 1/4
General Motors 204
Great Northern Ore cts 45 1/2
Goodrich Co. 73
Int. Mer. Marine pfd 112 1/2
International Paper 51 1/2
Kennebec Copper 38 1/2
Mexican Petroleum 174 1/2
New York Central 78 1/2
Norfolk & Western 108 1/2
Northern Pacific 95 1/2
Ohio Cities Gas 54 1/2
Pennsylvania 45 1/2
Reading 35
Rep. Iron & steel 84 1/2
Sinclair Oil & Refining 52 1/2
Southern Pacific 103 1/2
Southern Railway 28 1/2
Studebaker Corporation 92 1/2
Texas Co. 250
Tobacco Products 99
Union Pacific 130 1/2
United States Rubber 112 1/2
United States Steel 103 1/2
Utah Copper ex div 85 1/2
Westinghouse Electric 54 1/2
Willis-Overland 33 1/2

East St. Louis Horses.
By Associated Press Leased Wire
East St. Louis, Ill.—Horses: eastern chunks \$14.00@20.00; southern horses choice \$12.50@16.00; draft, good to choice 15.00@32.50.
Mules 16 to 17 hands 15.00@30.00; 15 to 15 1/2 hands 12.00@21.50; 14 to 14 1/2 hands 9.00@15.00.

Local Markets.
GRAIN.
Corn 1.63 to 1.65
Oats .62 to .65
PRODUCE.
Dairy butter .46
Lard .36
Eggs .34
Potatoes .15.50
POULTRY.
Springers .35c
Hens .33
Old cocker .12
Ducks, White Pekin .15
Ducks, Indian Runner .15
Ducks, Moscow .10
Geese .10
Turkeys .20
Old Tom Turkeys .20

JUNE MILK PRICE.
Two dollars and fifty cents per hundred pounds of milk testing 3.5 per cent butter fat, with increase of four cents per point for milk testing above or below that standard.

Street car traffic on Galena avenue between River and First streets was delayed for a time this morning, when the wheel on a wagon loaded with oats came off. The wagon came to a stop beside the track and passengers were obliged to transfer until the heavily loaded wagon could be raised and the wheel replaced.

Dr. F. E. Morris returned home last evening after spending several days visiting at the Dr. E. M. Browne home in Galesburg.

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PERSONALS

Leo Blass, of Morrison, visited Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Blass.

—If you need a good soft coal heater for store or shop, we have one. The Evening Telegraph.

Alfred Oakland, of Rochelle, and Arthur Kreitzer, of Franklin Grove, were Dixon visitors last evening.

—Rub Parstian Sage on your head and you will not have to scratch the dandruff off; cures all scalp irritation; gives a luxuriant head of hair. Rowland Bros. sells it on money-back plan.

Mr. and Mrs. Oltman and family, including their son, just returned from army service in France, were here on Thursday from Nelson for the soldiers' celebration.

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Mr. and Mrs. Herman Iskovich and son of DeKalb have been visiting the Eichler families in this city.

John Roe, Kenneth Dysart, Winston Edwards and Robert Dixon spent the week end at the Dixon cottage north of Grand Detour.

Mrs. Bert Carr is visiting friends and relatives in Chicago.

Louis Pitcher and family motored to Mt. Carroll yesterday and spent the day at Smith's park on Carroll creek.

Attorney P. M. James of Amboy is in the city today transacting legal business.

Attorney S. V. Wirick of Rochelle transacted legal business in the county court this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Dana of Fulton were Sunday guests at the home of Supervisor and Mrs. J. M. McCarry.

Ralph Joynt of Havana, Ill., is a guest at the home of his brother, Will Joynt for a few days.

Mayor Fred Vaughan of Amboy is in the city today transacting business in the county court.

Commissioner Frank D. Palmer is in Chicago today visiting with relatives and friends.

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Society

E. R. B. CLASS MEETING—
The E. R. B. class of St. Paul's Lutheran Sunday school will have a picnic supper at Assembly park Thursday evening, at 6:30 o'clock. All members are requested to bring their own dishes and sandwiches, together with one other article for supper. Following the supper the regular monthly business meeting of the class will be held. A good representation of the class is expected.

RETURNED FROM VISIT—
Mrs. Emma Grant has returned to her home at 314 West First street after a visit in Moline with her son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Grant, and in Davenport, Iowa.

DROVE TO OREGON—
Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gardes and son, Edward, and Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Hinds and family motored to Oregon yesterday and spent the afternoon.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH AID—
The Ladies' Aid society of the Christian church will have an all day meeting at the home of Mrs. William Geiger, 1218 Sixth street, Wednesday. At noon a scramble luncheon will be served. All the ladies of the church and congregation are invited.

AT A. B. McWILLIAMS HOME—
Adam Heldman and family, of Palmyra, were in Dixon shopping on Saturday. They also were guests at the A. B. McWilliams home at 309 Grant avenue. Mrs. McWilliams is recovering from a broken rib, sustained in a recent fall.

NOTICE!

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BAKER INSISTS ON ARMY OF 509,000

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Washington, June 16.—Secretary Baker, appearing today before the senate military committee, insisted that congress make provisions for an army of 509,000 men until a permanent military policy can be adopted. He declared the force of 300,000 proposed in the annual army appropriation bill as passed by the house was "inadequate."

ICE CREAM SOCIAL.
Ice cream social Tuesday evening, June 17th, at the Sunday schoolhouse, 3 miles north of Franklin Grove. Miss Nona Fuller, teacher. 14011

Supervisor Thomas Long of Harmon township is in Dixon today on business.

H. H. Klegwin of Hamilton township was a visitor in Dixon today.

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TOMORROW—Marguerite Clark in "Come Out of the Kitchen," which will be over in time for the show at opera house.